THE WEATHER
Fair tonight and Tuesday; colder tonight; fresh northwest winds.

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Explosion Kills 25 at Memphis

ROW OF HOUSES BLOWN UP

Explosion of Tank Car of Gasoline Causes Death and Destruction at Memphis

Windows Within Radius of 15 Blocks Shattered—City Rocked

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 24.—At least 25 persons, most of them negroes, were killed according to police estimates, and 50 or more injured by an explosion here today of a tank car of gasoline. The explosion destroyed a row of frame dwellings at Front and Loony streets, shattered windows within a radius of 15 blocks and shook the entire north end of the city.

A flying spark from the chisel of a workman caulking the car is supposed to have caused the explosion which occurred at Main street and Mill avenue, in the center of a densely populated part of the city, a short distance from a gas plant endangered by the fire.

Twenty nearby frame houses were splintered by the force of the explosion and set afire. Two of the three negro workmen caulking the car were killed while the third escaped without injury.

Every ambulance in the city was rushed to the scene and volunteer rescue parties were formed to aid the police in removing the dead and injured. The fire was checked before it spread beyond the dwellings in the immediate vicinity of the blast.

STORE ENTERED

Thieves Make Haul at Aiken Drug Company's Store

Rare perfumes, valuable amber smoking articles, manicure sets, and other choice druggists' supplies were taken by thieves who, sometime between Saturday evening and Sunday morning, broke into the store of the Aiken Drug Company, located at the corner of Aiken and Cheever streets. Other goods stolen included cigars, cigarets, and tobacco, embroidered linen, safety razors, syrup for the soda fountain, and a $35 revolver. The loss is estimated by officials of the firm as being between $200 and $300, although the exact amount has not yet been ascertained.

Adolph E. Toupin, treasurer of the concern, locked the store at 10.10 o'clock Saturday evening, and arriving on the premises Sunday at 7 a.m. found that the place had been ransacked. Entrance was gained through a side door at 101 Cheever street. This had seemingly been left open. Three other doors were broken open, apparently with the aid of a burglar's kit, for holes had been bored in the panels by an augur.

The sole clue left by the thieves consists in the familiarity which they displayed in regard to the location of the most costly articles in stock.

STRUCK BY AUTOMOBILE

Helen Maczawski, aged 7 years and residing at 16 Bent's court off Gorham street, was struck by an automobile in Gorham street near her home yesterday, but fortunately her injuries were only of a minor nature. The automobile was being operated by John A. Hanley of 478 Columbia road, Dorchester.

A CORRECTION

In the report of deaths received at city hall and published in these columns Saturday the cause of death given in the case of Elizabeth C. Stewart was tuberculosis of lungs. It should have read "tuberculosis of hip."

FIVE KILLED IN CRIME WAVE

Three Slain During Week End in New York—Two More Victims Today

Man Walked Into Police Station With Three Bullet Wounds in Back

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Dominick Ponti walked into the Oak street police station today with three bullet wounds in his back and said he had been shot by one of three men with whom he quarreled over 10 barrels of wine. He died soon afterwards. Two arrests were made.

Paul Landman, a Jamaica storekeeper, aroused from sleep by the sound of breaking glass, saw two men attempting to enter his store. He fired three shots, killing one intruder. The other escaped.

Week End Murders

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—A recurrence of crime, including three deaths, two men dying in hospitals from injuries inflicted by highwaymen and five holdups, featured the week-end operations of criminals in Greater New York and its environs. One man was shot to death on a crowded street in broad daylight, another was killed in an attempt to prevent the robbery of a store in East 42d street, while the third, an 18-year-old choir boy, was found dead on railroad tracks near Richmond Hill, with several bones broken and his head lacerated.

Armed automobile bandits operating near Tarrytown obtained loot valued at more than $10,000 early yesterday when they held up automobile parties and milk wagons. One robbery was staged near the estate of Mrs. Finley J. Shepherd, while another was near the William Rockefeller home.

The most conspicuous crime yesterday was the murder of Angelo Partitricolo in Elizabeth street. His assailant, approaching from the rear, fired four shots in his back, killing him instantly. A cordon of police reserves thrown around the block to prevent the escape of the murderer proved unsuccessful.

The body of Kermit Engelhart, 18, Richmond Hill Baptist church choir boy, was found on the tracks of the Long Island railroad, where it was supposed to have been thrown from an overhead bridge which crosses the railroad at that point.

When the engine of his machine stalled near the estate of Mrs. Finley J. Shepherd, this morning, Robert L. Dean of Tarrytown, was held up by four armed highwaymen. Showing a disposition to fight, Dean was beaten into submission by the highwaymen with the butts of revolvers. They escaped after robbing him and a woman companion of jewelry, money and a fur coat.

LOCAL MILL NEWS

Instead of starting some of the departments on full time this morning as it was hoped for the Tremont & Suffolk mills are idle today. The employes who reported for work this morning were informed that the entire plant was closed until further notice, but this forenoon Agent Rawlinson stated that operations may be resumed tomorrow.

It is understood that the company was figuring on securing big contracts and hence the announcement of a full-time schedule for this week for some of the departments, but as far as can be learned the contracts have been held up temporarily and inasmuch as all orders on hand had been filled, there was nothing else to do but to shut down. Word is expected today from headquarters in Boston, however, for the reopening of the mills tomorrow or Wednesday.

The Massachusetts and Appleton mills are operating on a full-time schedule, while the Merrimack Mfg. Co., is retaining its four-days-a-week schedule. Some of the departments of the Boott mills will operate three days this week, while others will work four days. The Hamilton mill is running, but its working schedule for this week could not be learned, although it is presumed it will be about four days.

NEW YORK CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Exchanges $126,701,888; balances $76,607,973.

LARGE AUDIENCE HEARD PEP TALK

Associate Hall Crowded at League of Catholic Women Event

Peter W. Collins, K. of C. Lecturer Delivered Varied Discourse on His Work

Under the auspices of the League of Catholic Women, a vast audience listened to a very interesting discourse by Mr. Peter W. Collins, reconstruction lecturer for the Knights of Columbus at Associate hall yesterday afternoon. His subject was "Meeting a Million Men," but he felt it a delicate matter to address nearly a million women on such a subject without criticism.

Mr. Collins has traveled all over the United States and Canada in the last twelve years and the pith of his lecture was based on his experiences in addressing millions of people, a large proportion of whom was non-Catholic.

The local council of the K. of C. were the invited guests of the League of Catholic Women. Every available seat on the main floor and in the gallery was taken while hundreds had to

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NO KICKS, SAYS MURPHY

Denies Central St. Merchants Have Made Complaints—Wants New Building

Street Commissioner Dennis J. Murphy emphatically denied today that any complaint had ever been made to him regarding the untidiness of Central street by owners or occupiers of property along the thoroughfare. He said that his first information that persons renting stores along the street were dissatisfied with conditions had come to him through the columns of The Sun.

The accumulation of dirt in the street has been a matter that has troubled the department for a long time, Mr. Murphy asserted. He said that the wind sweeps through the street in such a way that a pocket is created just below the New American house, and that litter from a wide radius finds lodgment here. He said that no amount of vigilance could prevent dust being swirled about in this pocket when the wind blows, and that some of this is bound to get into the stores and annoy the owners.

Mr. Murphy asserted that the city is losing the use of the two new mechanical sweepers, purchased by the city a short time ago, because they cannot be stored in a heated building. He said that the sweepers would give good service at this time, but that, as they would have to be stored in an open shed, several hours' work would be required every day in getting the machines ready for use and in draining the radiators after they had been out on the street. The machines cost the city $10,500.

The commissioner asserted that the only place available for storing the machines is the open shed at the city stables. In this same building, exposed more or less to the weather, are four steam rollers that cost the city $7500 each.

Mr. Murphy stated that he intends to attempt to have Public Buildings Commissioner George F. Marchand provide a suitable storage building at the stables. He thinks that part of the material in the present building could be utilized in the erection of a new structure, the cost of which he believes should not exceed $15,000. Such a building as he would like to see built would be provided with steam-heating apparatus so that the sweeping machines could be used in winter. He would also like to see it of sufficient size and provided with suitable apparatus for making repairs in winter and thus furnish continuous employment during the cold weather for a number of men.

REBUILDING OF OLD RESIDENCES

Nesmith Street Properties To Be Turned Into Up-to-Minute Apartment Houses

Cost of Extensive Alterations Is Expected To Be In Excess of $40,000

Work has been started on two of the most important housing development propositions that have been undertaken in Lowell in a long time. When the work has been completed two residences in Nesmith street that have been the centres of much social life in the past will have been transformed into up-to-the-minute apartment houses. The estimated cost of the improvements is $40,000.

One of the residences, on which work is now going forward, is at 252 Nesmith street, and was occupied for some time previous to his departure from the city by Rev. Alfred R. Hussy, former pastor of All Souls' church. The building is of wood, two stories and a half high. There is an attractive veranda on the front of the house.

The residence is surrounded by an estate of nearly 20,000 square feet. On one side of the property is a large stable that will be rebuilt into a garage to contain stalls for ten machines.

One Apartment Complete

When completed the house will contain six four-room and three-room apartments on the two lower floors and a single three-room apartment on the top floor. The latter apartment has already been completed. The number of rooms in the apartments is exclusive of the bathrooms.

The house will have polished oak floors in all of the apartments. The interior finish will be of white pine. Electric lighting fixtures of the latest design will be installed. A hot water heating system will be used. There will be a gas range and refrigerator in each apartment. The latest pattern open plumbing will be used all over the house, and the bath rooms will be supplied with white enamel fixtures.

It is estimated that the cost of altering the house will be about $18,000.

The other house that is being changed over from a residence to an apartment house is located at 43 Nesmith street. It is surrounded by an estate of about 6000 square feet. It was formerly the property of Julian Talbot of North Billerica. The residence is of wood and has three floors.

Garage to be Built

When completed the new building will contain three four-room and three three-room apartments. A two-stall garage will be built on the grounds. The cost of the alterations will be $2200.

The interior finish of this property will be similar to that at 252 Nesmith street.

Both of the estates have recently passed into the hands of Michael M. Queally, 41 Royal street, a dealer in investment securities. The work of reconstruction is going on under the direct supervision of the new owner. The architect is Millard F. Davis, of the Hildreth building.

It is expected that the buildings will be ready for occupancy in the spring.

TYPHOID FEVER CASES

Typhoid fever, once a dreaded scourge in Lowell but from which the city has been comparatively free for a number of years, has made its reappearance, according to report given out at the board of health office in city hall. In all of last year there were only 27 cases reported in the city. Recently there have been three cases reported. The measles epidemic continues to show signs of abating. The number of cases of diphtheria and scarlet fever continues to be about normal.

Allied Leaders Meet in Most Important Session Since Signing of Treaty of Versailles

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

About 400 Votes Cast in Election of Local Board of Directors

Judging from the large number of ballots already cast in the election of directors for the local chamber of commerce, interest in the matter is widespread. Although only about 20 per cent of the 1200 chamber members cast votes in the nomination, the prediction of the officials that there would be a much larger number cast in the election is being borne out from the fact that up to early afternoon today about 400 votes had been cast. The grand finale in voting is expected late tomorrow afternoon, just preceding 6 o'clock when the polls will be closed. The election committee will then proceed immediately to count the ballots so that the successful nine candidates for directorship will be known tomorrow morning.

Some time this week the last meeting of the present board of directors will be held to clean-up all matters now awaiting disposition. Undoubtedly, the last work of the present board will be to approve the work of the election commission and declare the 1921 board elected.

Within 10 days after their election, the 1921 board will hold its first meeting at which their officers will be appointed. The business of the 1921 season will then take on more life than during the past two or three weeks. Activities of the chamber have been dull pending the result of the election of directors.

CUTTING ICE AT CRYSTAL LAKE

About 150 men in the employ of the Boston Ice company are cutting ice at Crystal Lake. The ice is 12 inches thick.

The Daniel Gage company was scheduled to start cutting on the pond in South Chelmsford this morning, but because of the mild weather during the week-end it was deemed advisable to wait a few more days and accordingly the men who had been hired to do the work were notified that the work would not start before the middle of the week. The ice on the ponds in the suburban towns is anywhere from 10 to 11 inches thick, but a delay of a few days in the starting of operations will not hurt the ice, said Miss Gage today. The Merrimack river is frozen across but cutting there will not be started for some time unless a genuine, ice-making cold spell sets in.

HIGH SCHOOL DANCES

School Head Does Not Agree With All Minister Has To Say

Principal Henry H. Harris, of the local high school, said this morning that he did not wish to take issue with the statements made by Rev. Edward Babcock, pastor of the First Baptist church last evening's services. Rev. Mr. Babcock condemned the practices of holding dances for high school students either in the name of the school or some school organization. He protested against the annual ball of the high school officers, the senior class social, recess dances and all evening dancing parties on grounds of morality, economy and waste of mental energy.

Mr. Harris said that Rev. Mr. Babcock's sermon struck many true conditions of the present status of dancing and that he was not inclined to argue or become involved in any contrary discussion. He said that the statements were such as would be expected from a clergyman of the Baptist denomination because the latter is against all forms of dancing and such social recreation.

Formerly, continued Mr. Harris, the social functions and dancing parties connected with high school life were more numerous than at present and entailed more outlay of money by the students attending. Now, however, these activities have been cut down considerably and are carried out under very strict supervision of school authorities.

A few years ago many of the high school dances were held in public halls, but because of certain tendencies noted among the young men and women at these affairs and of certain dangers always connected with public dances, declared Mr. Harris, the principal of the high school and the school board got together and ruled that from that time on all dancing parties and socials run under the auspices of the high school or its organization should be held in the school hall.

Principal Harris said that Rev. Mr. Babcock's condemnation of present-day dancing on the grounds of morality would have no particular reference to those held under high school auspices.

"All dances for students of the high school are presented under very strict surveillance of the faculty and the latter make it their business to order from the floor all those who do not dance properly," declared Mr. Harris. He said he had even gone so far as to have an expert dancing teacher present at a recess dance in the school hall recently, giving instructions as to the correct posture in dancing.

"Evidently Mr. Babcock has lost sight of the fact of the necessity of educating the children in social affairs which leads to personal ease and self-control on their part." Continuing, Mr. Harris called attention to the fact that there's a certain amount of social recreation and entertainment necessary with concentration in study and that the school authorities were doing the very best to hold any dangerous propensities in check.

"Both Mr. Woodward (sub-principal) and I are fathers and we take a great interest in the activities of the students of the school. We have come to the conclusion that the fault in many cases where young girls and men go astray lies with the parents. One of the greatest problems we have to deal with here in the high school is the matter of dress. There seems to be a continual and constant endeavor by some parents to have their children outshine, I might say, all others at the school. Some girls come to school dressed in silks and wearing low neck dresses which should not be allowed."

Another matter for which Mr. Harris blamed parents was the face powdering by the girls. He said he could not say whether any of the high school students used face paint or not, but that it was evident that many of them used colored powder.

Principal Harris agreed with Mr. Babcock on the expense involved in dancing parties, but said that he had endeavored to cut that down to a minimum. Cost for decorations has been trimmed, boys have been requested not to wear dress suits at the officers' balls, girls have been asked and advised to dress moderately. Cost of dance programs, said Mr. Harris, has been slashed. At all dances in high school hall there are many teachers on hand for supervision and on every floor in the building and in the basement, said Mr. Harris. Janitors are posted. "Teachers acting as hostesses at all the dances," he continued, "mingle with the students and promptly object to any improper dancing or behavior."

REPARATIONS ISSUE TAKEN UP

Representatives of Great Britain, France, Italy, Japan and Belgium Meet at Paris

Expect to Settle Questions and Long Threatening Serious Complications

Premier Briand Opens Session With Address of Welcome—Foch Heard

PARIS, Jan. 24.—Representatives of Great Britain, France, Italy, Belgium and Japan gathered here today for a conference which seemed second in importance only to that preceding the signing of the treaty of Versailles. The principal figures of the meeting were David Lloyd George, British prime minister, and Aristide Briand, who last week assumed the post of president of the council of the French republic. About these men the negotiations are expected to revolve, and it is believed that when the conference adjourns, the allied world will have settled questions long pending and long threatening serious complications, not only between ally and ally countries, but between the governments which fought side by side against the central empires from 1914 to 1918.

Important Problems

In importance these subjects ranked as follows:

Reparations, disarmament of Germany, enforcement or alteration of the treaty with Turkey, relief for Austria and policies to be pursued in dealing with Russia. All of them were questions on which the different participant nations were more or less divided, and the settlement of which was viewed with great concern.

Arrangements for the first session contemplated discussion of German disarmament by allied military experts who are understood to have agreed on a solution which would grant a short period of grace to Germany in which to execute the engagements she made at the Spa conference. These agreements call for the demobilization and disarmament of armed forces under the surveillance of an inter-allied control commission and it was believed the conference would not be called upon to do more than to ratify the plan submitted by the experts which should not require more than one sitting.

Program for Today

The program for the day which, of course, was but provisional, called for consideration of the subject of coal deliveries, the arrangement made between the allies and Germany at Spa expiring on January 31. It was forecast that the allies would endeavor to reach a new decision on the subject as rapidly as possible so that Germany might be notified before that date.

This business once out of the way, the conference would be free to devote all its time and energies to the question of reparations, which was evidently the most important to come before the meeting and upon which much depended. M. Briand, it has been asserted, owed his selection as French premier to the fact that he was considered to be the man who could most clearly and convincingly plead the case of France regarding reparations before the conference. The financial and economic position of France and the possible negotiation of loans in America were considered in the preparations made by the French cabinet to lay the claims of France before the allied governments.

The conference was opened with a speech of welcome by Premier Briand and devoted its first session to hearing Marshal Foch, Field Marshal Sir Henry Hughes Wilson of the British imperial staff and General Maurice Nollet, head of the French military mission in Berlin, on the disarmament question.

The conference is virtually a meeting of the supreme council formed during the peace conference.

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MEETING OF OLIVER PLUNKETT COUNCIL
Tonight at 7 o'clock in St. Peter's School Hall. Prominent speakers will address meeting. All members are earnestly requested to attend.
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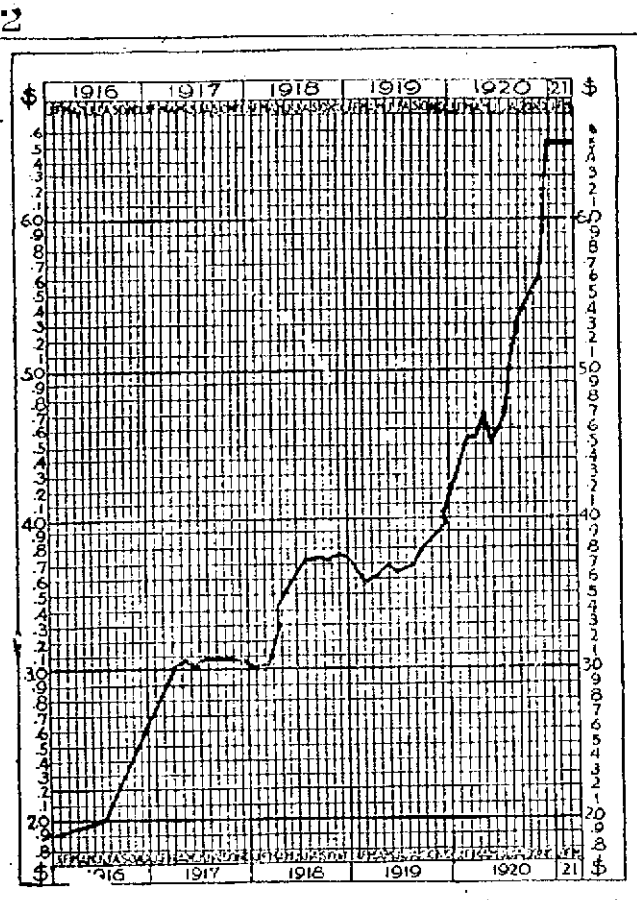

Chart shows upward curve of print paper price as sold by contract less than "spot" market price) from January, 1916, when it was $1.68 per hundredweight, to and including the first three months of 1921, contract price now being $6.50.

PRINT PAPER PRICES SET NEW HIGH RECORD

(N.E.A. Staff Special)

NEW YORK, Jan. 22—While the cost of living is sagging, and the cost of production in most lines of business is dropping, American publishers meet with still further price increases.

News print paper contracts for the first quarter of 1921 call for $6.50 per hundredweight. This is the highest figure print paper ever has been sold by contract. The "spot" market price is considerably higher.

The largest price increase in history was scored during 1920, and is reflected in the $6.50 contract price American and Canadian paper mills are charging for January, February and March, 1921.

Before 1916 the price of news print maintained an almost even level at between $1.92 and $2. It did not pass the latter figure until July, 1916, when it began a steady climb, reaching $3.11 in April, 1917. About January, 1918, there was a slight drop, but by the end of the year the price had gone up to $3.75.

The first $4 contract paper price was reached in December, 1919.

In the latter part of 1920, when all other prices were starting downward, print paper continued upward, going to $5.65 in November. The 1921 contract price (for January, February and March) is $6.50. This is 50 per cent higher than the January 1920 price; it is 10 per cent higher than the 1919 average price, and is more than 200 per cent higher than print paper ever sold at, under contract, before the war.

Elderly People Need This In Medicine Chest

To relieve chronic constipation, always keep a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin handy.

NEARLY all people as they advance in age suffer from chronic constipation. Many, however, are indifferent to the laxative they use, on the theory that "they are all alike." That is a great mistake.

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A sixty-cent bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will last many months. The prescription was written thirty years ago by Dr. W. B. Caldwell, a well-known family doctor, who is himself now in his 82nd year and can appreciate what chronic constipation must mean to elderly people; how it brings on headaches, colds, loss of appetite and sleep, heaviness and a general dull feeling.

Every home that has an elderly man or woman should be provided with a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Eight million bottles were bought at drug stores last year. It is a truly wonderful constipation remedy.

TRY IT FREE

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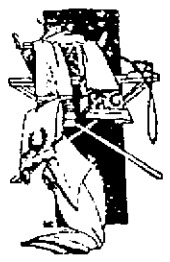

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STAMPED ALL LINEN SCALLOPED DRESSER SCARFS. Priced $1.98, $2.25, $2.49 and $2.98

STAMPED ALL LINEN 18-INCH CENTRES. Priced 75¢, 85¢ and 98¢

STAMPED ALL LINEN 22-INCH CENTRES. Priced $1.25 and $1.49

STAMPED ALL LINEN 27-INCH CENTRES. Priced $1.25, $1.49, $1.59 and $1.75

STAMPED ALL LINEN CENTRES. Priced $3.69 and $3.98

STAMPED ALL LINEN 54-INCH CENTRES. Priced $5.49

AMUSEMENT NOTES

By Theatres' Own Press Agents.

OPERA HOUSE

The greatest musical treat of the season is promised the patrons of the Opera House for the week, when The Players, augmented by well-known local talent, will present Victor Herbert's great musical comedy success, "The Only Girl." This production is by far the most ambitious effort ever attempted in local stock circles, Owner Schaake and Director Bennett have given the presentation for the week special attention and extra expense has been demanded to give it the proper and necessary accessories and fittings. Besides being a really big production it will be a most satisfying one, for it has all of the elements of a high-class musical comedy. The play itself has an abundance of humor in its story, which concerns a young man who had pledged himself to bachelorhood, but who finds himself slipping when he attempts to write a play and has to call upon a pretty young miss to help him in his work. The process of his change from "single blessedness" into the sea of matrimony is most entertaining.

The musical numbers will be handled by Miss Marguerite Fields and Miss Hill, with Charles E. Barton, Milton Byron, Maxwell Driscoll and the others helping. The local chorus, made up of Lowell's most talented singers, will include Evelyn Donnaelly, Nora Regan Longtin, Florence McManus, Alice Murningham, Loretta Finnerty, Sallie Sheehan and Marion Sanderson. Madeline Holatt will be one of the soloists. Miss Hill, who has appeared in this place several times in the past, will have one of the important singing parts, and Chas. Barton promises an entertaining bit of "Scotch" in his number, "Hoamin' In the Gloamin'." The advance sale of tickets already indicates that one of the largest crowds of the season will witness this offering. Friends and admirers of the local talent have registered their intention of conducting theatre parties during the week, and the thousands of admirers of The Players, who favor their appearance in musical comedy plan special parties. It is advisable to make early reservations. Tel. 261. Box office open daily from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Introducing eccentric comedy into their work the Bison City Four, which will be the frontliner of this week's show at the B. F. Keith theatre, differs from most other quartets in vaudeville. They sing much during their act, but always find time enough to tuck in some comedy that invariably "goes big" with audiences. The members of this quartet are: Vic Milo, Frank Girard, George Hughes and Ed. Roscoe.

A portly judge, with his own ideas about life and reformation is the character Wm. H. St. James will portray when he gives Homer Miles' new comedy, "Judge Priest." Mr. St. James has done similar work on the legitimate stage, and it was warmly appreciated. When Irving Cobb's "Judge Priest" stories were dramatized Mr. St. James had the title role. His present vehicle resembles somewhat the character in the Cobb stories. A most spectacular riding novelty is offered by James Dutton and company. Mr. Dutton and his two young assistants execute a number of clever and difficult feats of bareback riding. The horses used in the act are pure white and an all-white dog adds to the beauty of the exhibition. Martha Pryor, who is called "The Kentucky Girl," and her company will dispense good music. Miss Pryor is accomplished as a singer and also as an all-round musician. She is graceful and refined in her work, and, all in all, makes a deep impression wherever she visits.

"Modern Entertainers" in all that the words imply are McCloud and Norman. They don't amplify these words any, so one is left to believe that they sing, dance and chatter. Brisko & Earl are songsters who have an unusal line of banter to offer, and the Bellis Duo are graceful and daring aerial performers. In addition there will be shown News Kinograms, Topics of the Day and a screen comedy.

RIALTO THEATRE

A thrilling picture embracing a cowardly plot to drown many souls on board a sailing schooner from Australia to Liverpool, England is seen in the super feature sea story "Dead Men Tell No Tales," which opens at the Rialto theatre this afternoon and which is booked for the entire week. The picture is taken from the well known novel by E. W. Hornung, is a Tom Terriss production and is edited by Mr. and Mrs. George Randolph Chester. The story deals with half a dozen plotters returning form Australia who plan to take over several chests of gold and to destroy the ship and every living soul it carries. Just see how they succeed. There is also a First National comedy, "The Skipper's Narrow Escape," Episode 10 of "Bride 13" and the Fox news.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

A breath-taking story and a brilliant cast of film favorites who are considered of the star calibre are the combination promised in William De Mille's masterpiece, "Midsummer Madness," which opened its three day showing in this city today. The story is taken from Cosmo Hamilton's late novel, "His Friend and His Wife," centers around two young married couples who are close friends. One of the husbands imagines himself in love with his friend's wife, and she, hungry for romance, yields to a temporary infatuation. The results are highly interesting and lead to a climax that for sheer dramatic intensity has never been equalled on the screen. This great photoplay has been endorsed by a number of the greatest moving picture critics in this country. The cast includes Lois Wilson, Lila Lee, Jack Holt and Conrad Nagel. Mack Sennett's "Bungalow Trouble," News, Paramount Magazine, and Topics of the day round out the bill.

THE STRAND

"Hearts Are Trumps," Cecil Raleigh's stage triumph and Drury Lane success, which will be presented the first three days of the week at The Strand, beginning with matinee today, will be enacted by an all-star cast. This picturization is said to compare favorably with all of the well-known Drury Lane productions and should score a big hit with the playgoers hereabouts. It has every element that goes in the making of a super-special. The story is a gripping melodrama of high society life in Europe and has some of the strongest characters imaginable. And there is an abundance of action as well.

The second feature on the bill will present Earle Williams in "The Romance Promoter." It's a delightfully amusing story in which Williams finds ample opportunity to once again reflect those qualities that have made him the extremely popular star that he is. The average playgoers of the present day like light comedy mixed with the more serious phases of life on which so many of the recent film releases are based.

Besides these two big picture events, there will be the usual comedy and Weekly offering, as well as superior musical contributions by Miss Elsie Robbins. Arrange to see this extraordinary program. It's a worth-while one.

Tuesday night the Choral society concert will be given, but the usual Strand matinee will be held in the afternoon.

BIG PICTURE OF YEAR

"Madame X," one of the real big picture productions of the year, will be shown at The Strand for a limited engagement soon. The coming of this extraordinary picturization, and at the usual Strand prices, will undoubtedly be appreciated by all lovers of superior pictures. Watch the papers for further announcements.

An Englishman claims that a frog can be charmed with music in the same manner that a snake may be charmed.

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CATHOLIC NEWS

Members of the junior branch of the Holy Name society of St. Patrick's church received their monthly communion at the 8.30 o'clock mass yesterday, the mass being celebrated by Rev. Jos. A. Curtin. The 7 o'clock mass was celebrated by the pastor, Rt. Rev. Mgr. William O'Brien, while the officiating clergyman at the parish mass was Rev. Dr. James A. Supple. The sermon was delivered by Rev. Francis Keenan. On Tuesday evening there will be a meeting of the Holy Name society and at the close of the meeting an illustrated lecture will be given on "Around the World with the Missionaries." The Holy Family sodality will meet Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Immaculate Conception

The monthly communion for the members of the senior branch of the Children of Mary sodality and the junior branch of the Holy Name society of the Immaculate Conception church took place yesterday morning at the 8.30 o'clock mass, which was celebrated by Rev. J. B. McCartin, O.M.I., who was assisted in giving communion by Rev. Denis A. Sullivan, O.M.I. The parish mass was celebrated by Rev. Owen P. McQuaid, O.M.I.

St. Joseph's

The parish mass at St. Joseph's church was celebrated by Rev. Armand Baron, O.M.I., while the sermon was given by Rev. Aurelien Meyel, O.M.I. The choir, under the direction of Telesphore Malo rendered the Missa Royale harmonized, the solos being sustained by Messrs. Leveille, Lajeunesse and Tousignant. At the offertory a quartet composed of Alberic Dacharme, Miss Stella Latour, A. G. Leveille and Fred Dacharme rendered Gilman's "Ave Verum."

St. Peter's

At the 8.30 o'clock mass at St. Peter's church yesterday the members of the Children of Mary sodality received communion in a body. The officiating clergyman was Rev. Francis Shea and he was assisted in giving communion by Rev. D. J. Hefferman. A meeting of the Immaculate Conception sodality will be held next Thursday evening.

St. Michael's

The pastor, Rev. John J. Shaw, celebrated the 8 o'clock mass at St. Michael's church yesterday, while the parish mass was celebrated by Rev. T. J. Heagney. The sermon was given by Rev. Francis J. Mullin. It was announced at all the masses that the young women of the parish will conduct a social Jan. 25 and that arrangements are being made for a minstrel entertainment by the young men for some time next month.

Sacred Heart

The monthly communion for the members of the Children of Mary sodality of the Sacred Heart church took place yesterday morning at the 7.30 o'clock mass, which was celebrated by Rev. John M. Doherty, O.M.I., who was assisted in giving communion by the pastor, Rev. John P. Flynn, O.M.I. The parish mass was celebrated by Rev. James T. McDermott, O.M.I., while the sermon was delivered by the pastor. A minstrel entertainment will be given next month by the Holy Name Social club and on Thursday night the members of the Sacred Heart Dramatic club, who recently produced "The Exile of Erin" will be banqueted in the school hall.

St. Louis'

Rev. F. X. Gauthier officiated at the parish mass at St. Louis' church yesterday, while the preacher was Rev. Donia Bolsvert. The 6.30 o'clock mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Bolsvert and at that mass the members of the Sacred Heart league received communion in a body.

Notre Dame de Lourdes'

The monthly communion for the members of the Sacred Heart Cadets and the Zouaves of Notre Dame de Lourdes' church took place yesterday morning at the 7.30 o'clock mass, which was celebrated by Rev. Leon Lamothe, O.M.I., pastor. In the afternoon at 1.30 o'clock a meeting of both organizations was held in the church and Rev. J. B. A. Barette, O.M.I., delivered the instructions and officiated at benediction of the blessed sacrament. The parish mass was celebrated by Rev. Joseph A. Denis, O.M.I., while the sermon was delivered by Rev. Fr. Barette, O.M.I.

St. Margaret's

At the early mass at St. Margaret's church yesterday many received holy communion. The celebrant was the pastor, Rev. C. J. Galligan, while the parish mass was celebrated by Rev. Stephen Murray.

St. Columba's

The pastor, Rev. P. J. Hally, celebrated the early masses at St. Columba's church yesterday and he gave communion to a large number of men, women and children. The parish mass was celebrated by Rev. James M. Somers, who also delivered the sermon.

Charlotte Walsh plays Katisha, Mikado.—Adv.

MANY SHOE WORKERS FOUND TO BE SUFFERING

Ill Health and Much Absence From Work Due to Constipation

Many Have Wonderful Success in Use of Toxo Treatment

"At the request of my superiors, I have gone out among the shoe workers of Lowell and have spent considerable time in making their acquaintance and learning much about them. What I have to tell is of tremendous importance to each and every one of them for I have found that there is a large majority of them suffering.

Many of the workers are sick now at their work all through the day and are becoming constipated or else are constipated. Some of them have neglected their health and as a result have poles which could have been avoided by taking care of their constipation trouble.

The chief trouble is that their systems are clogged with a lot of impurities that they can't get rid of. They have been taking oils and pills that have been forcing action and causing violent stomach pains. Even then, they have failed to cleanse the bowels of the waste matter as these oils and pills only half act and invariably make further doses necessary.

In this way, many of them have allowed their systems to become poisoned and are suffering mental depression, foul breath and pale and sallow complexion which is made more noticeable by muddy or pimply skin.

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38,000 LIVES SAVED ON R. R. IN 13 YEARS

CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—More than 38,000 lives have been saved on the railroads of the United States as a result of the organized safety work carried on during thirteen years, according to an analysis made at the headquarters of the national safety council here of railway statistics from 1906 to 1919 compiled by Slason Thompson of the bureau of railway news and statistics, the council announced today.

The national safety council estimated the number of lives saved on the basis of the ratio of the number of persons killed each year to the freight tonnage carried during each year. For example in 1906, 10,613 persons were killed on the railroads, and 1,631,000,000 tons were carried. In 1919 6975 persons were killed, while 2,121,000,000 tons were carried. On this basis of comparison there was an actual saving of 6925 lives during 1919, as compared with 1906. This process was applied to the figures for each of the intervening years, and the total sum of lives saved as determined by the national safety council was 38,621. In other words, if the number of persons killed in railway accidents during each of the last thirteen years had been in the same ratio to the tonnage carried as were fatalities in 1906, 38,621 more persons would have been killed in railway accidents than were actually killed.

Some other striking revelations of the railroads accident statistics are brought out in the council's study, namely:

That the number of persons killed in railway accidents during 1919, 6975, is the lowest on record in the twenty years since 1899;

That 125,021 miles of railroad lines, nearly half the mileage of the country, were operated without a single passenger being killed in a train accident on these lines during 1919;

combined railroad mileage of Great Britain, Germany, France and Anstria-Hungary was operated during 1919 without a single fatality to a passenger in the 447,126,735 journeys recorded, the average journey being 41 miles;

That the number of injured in railway accidents in 1919,—147,015—was the lowest on record since 1910;

That fewer passengers were killed in 1919 than in 1888, although between those years passenger mileage increased more than 360 per cent., and freight tonnage increased more than 500 per cent. In 1906 one passenger was killed for every 153,207,488 passengers carried one mile; in 1919 one was killed for every 475,693,301 passengers carried in one mile.

A noteworthy decrease in the number of railroad employes killed was made in 1919 as compared with the preceding year. In 1918, with 1,837,741 men employed, 2759 were killed, an average of 1.45 per 1000 employed. In 1919 with 1,960,562 men employed, 1693 were killed, an average of 0.86 per 1000 employed.

MIDSUMMER MADNESS

New Disease Baffles All Doctors But One

Said Due to Effect of Moon

Mid Summer Madness despite the fact it is now mid-winter, may be imminent in Lowell as an epidemic.

Of this peculiar affectation little is yet known except that it is believed due to effects of moonlight. Only one physician in the world at present is able to give successful treatment for it.

Readers are requested to make a study of the information on this subject to be found in today's paper on page five.—Adv.

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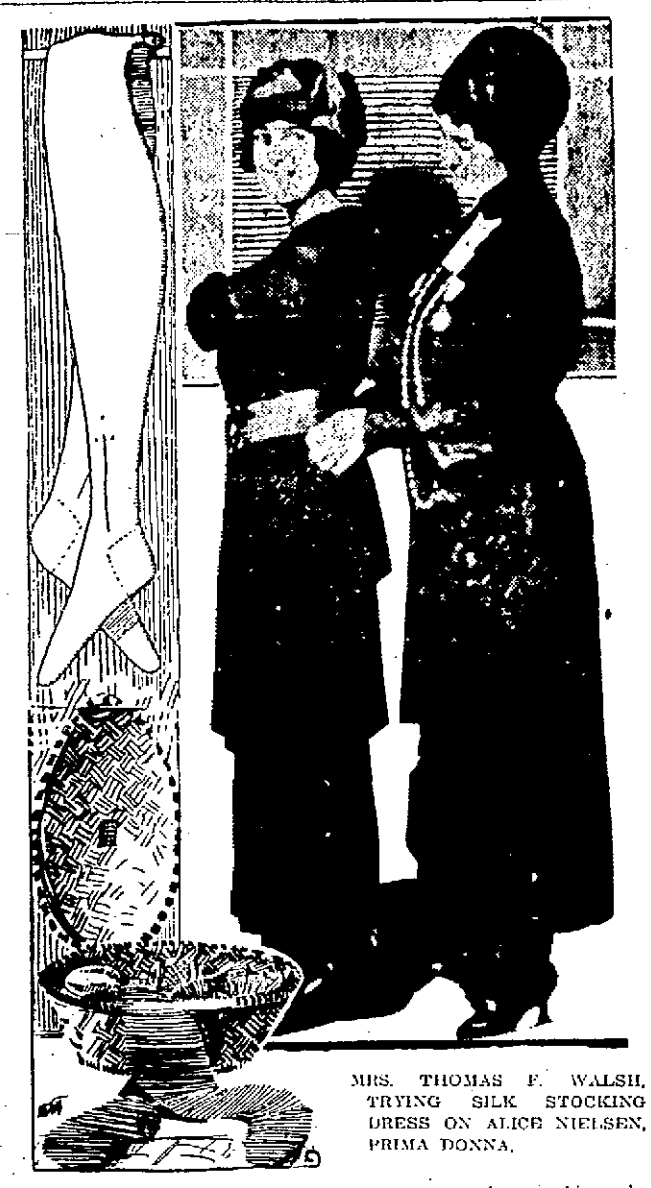

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Mrs. Walsh acts as personal superintendent of this charitable industry.

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The silk stocking frocks Mrs. Walsh designed as "best dresses" for destitute French girls. Many of these are being made—the ruined villages of France their destination.

Miss Alice Nielsen, the prima donna, is Mrs. Walsh's "first aid," New York representative, and shipping manager.

Lizards of India are hunted for their skins from which women's and children's shoes, purses and handbags are made.

Edw. Slattery repeats Ko-Ko, Mikado.—Adv.

IRELAND WILL NEVER ACCEPT COMPROMISE

GLOUCESTER, Jan. 24.—City hall auditorium was pack'd to its capacity of 1200 yesterday afternoon to hear Mayor Dennis Morgan of Thurles, Ireland, on the Irish question. On the platform were the American flag and the colors of the Irish republic, the latter in minature being carried by many of the audience.

Rev. William J. Dwyer, P. R., of St. Anne's church presided. The first speaker was Prof. Daniel Foley of Boston, who told of events just before the world war, referring to the attitude of Sir Edward Carson and Sir John French.

Mayor Morgan stated that the Irish have at last awakened from the stupidity of short-sightrd leaders and will accept no compromise except absolute freedom. He said the lord high chief executioner, Sir Hamar Greenwood, has recruited the Irish constbulary from the prisons and the slums for the purpose of wiping out the leaders of the Irish republic and intimidating the people. The atrocities of the Black and Tans, he said, are hardly known outside of Ireland because the British government controls all news-distributing agencies and colors the report to suit itself.

"The cry has gone forth that the Irish should let bygones be bygones and join hands with the English in solving the problems of Irish government," he continued, "but the Irish will not forget their grievances and will accept nothing less than complete freedom. Fortunately De Valera is back on Irish soil today to give comfort and consolation to the people and he stands firmly in demanding absolute independence."

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20 DOZEN EXTRA FINE SHEETS—Made of good bleached cotton. Size 72x90. Clearance price 98c

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Gray Cotton Blankets, with borders. Size 54x74. Regular $2.50 value. Clearance price $1.59

Plain White or Gray Blankets, with pink or blue borders. Size 50x72; regular $2.79 value. Clearance price $1.79

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50 PAIRS CRIB BLANKETS—Wool finish. White with pink or blue borders; $2.25 value. Clearance price .....$1.29 Pair

CRIB BLANKETS—Size 36x50. Solid pink or or blue with silk binding; $2.98 value. Clearance price ..... $1.59 Each

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$1.39 value. Clearance price 98c
$1.89 value. Clearance price $1.19

JERSEY VESTS AND DRAWERS—In women's sizes—
79c value. Clearance price 49c
$1.50 value. Clearance price..... 89c

BLACK HOSE—Finely ribbed, in children's sizes; 29c value. Clearance price..19c Pair

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CHILDREN'S HOSE—Of extra heavy weight, ribbed; 50c value. Clearance price.....29c

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$1.00 values. Clearance price ..... **79¢**
$1.50 values. Clearance price..... **89¢**

ENVELOPE CHEMISE—All white. Fine nainsook or cambric with deep lace yokes back and front—
$1.00 values. Clearance price..... **79¢**
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$1.00 values. Clearance price..... **79¢**
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$3.49 values. Clearance price..... **$2.98**

CHILDREN'S ROMPERS—In cute new styles. Round or square necks, short or long sleeves. Trimmings of smocking and embroidery. Plain or fancy colors in gingham, ripplette, linene—
$1.25 values. Clearance price..... **79¢**
$1.50 values. Clearance price..... **98¢**

MIDDY BLOUSES—Cut from heavy jean twill in smart sea styles. Plain or colored collars and cuffs—
$1.50 values. Clearance price..... **98¢**
$2.98 values. Clearance price..... **$1.49**

WOMEN'S VOILE WAISTS—In new styles. Trimmings of fine lace or embroidery. Others made of white lawn. $1.50 values. Clearance price..... **98¢**

FRENCH VOILE BLOUSES—In styles copied from expensive models. Lace and embroidery trimming—
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$4.00 values. Clearance price..... **$1.98**

CHILDREN'S WHITE DRESSES—Made of fine lawn or organdie in youthful styles. All nicely trimmed. $4.00 values. Clearance price **$1.98**

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$1.50 values. Clearance price..... **89¢**
$2.00 values. Clearance price..... **$1.39**
$3.00 values. Clearance price..... **$1.79**

NIGHT GOWNS—In women's sizes. Made of heavy striped outing flannel. Neatly trimmed—
$1.50 values. Clearance price..... **$1.00**
$2.50 values. Clearance price..... **$1.50**

WOMEN'S PAJAMAS—Made of heavy outing flannel in light color stripe patterns—
$2.50 values. Clearance price **$1.49**
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$5.00 values. Clearance price..... **$2.98**
$7.00 values. Clearance price..... **$3.98**

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$1.75 values. Clearance price..... **98¢**

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$10.00 Norfolk Suits. Clearance price..... **$6.79**
$12.00 Norfolk Suits. Clearance price..... **$7.89**
$15.00 and $18.50 Norfolk Suits. Clearance price **$10.89**

Sizes 8 to 18 Years
$20.00 and $28.00 Doublebuilt Norfolk Suits. Clearance price **$13.79**

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$10.00 to $12.00 Overcoats. Clearance price.... **$4.89**
$12.50 to $14.00 Overcoats. Clearance price.... **$7.79**
$15.00 to $20.00 Overcoats. Clearance price.... **$9.79**

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$3.00 values. Clearance price **$2.00**
$3.50 values. Clearance price **$2.50**

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Sizes 7 to 18 Years
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$3.00 values. Clearance price **$2.00**
$3.50 values. Clearance price **$2.50**
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Sizes 7 to 18 Years
$2.50 values. Clearance price..... **$1.50**
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$3.50 values. Clearance price **$2.50**

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Made of best moleskin cloth with waterproof oiled interlining and large beaverized collars. Sizes 8 to 14 years—
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$15.00 and $16.50 values. Clearance price **$11.79**

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JERSEY RIBBED SHIRTS AND DRAWERS FOR MEN—Heavy weight. $1.00 values. Clearance price **69¢**

SHIRTS AND DRAWERS—Fleece lined. Very warm for winter wear. $1.29 values. Clearance price **69¢**

EXTRA HEAVY SHIRTS AND DRAWERS—Fleece lined. Men's sizes. $1.50 values. Clearance price **89¢**

NATURAL WOOL SHIRTS AND DRAWERS FOR MEN—Extra heavy and warm—
$2.50 values. Clearance price ..... **98¢**
$2.50 values. Clearance price **$1.50**

MENS' UNION SUITS—Of heavy fleece lined jersey. Silver gray and ecru. $2.00 values. Clearance price **$1.19**

JERSEY RIBBED UNION SUITS—Fleece lined. Fine garments. Men's sizes. $2.50 values. Clearance price **$1.39**

EXTRA HEAVY UNION SUITS—Jersey and fleece lined. $3.00 values. Clearance price..... **$1.50**

BOYS' SHIRTS AND DRAWERS—Heavy jersey fleece silver gray. $1.00 values. Clearance price.... **49¢**

UNION SUITS FOR BOYS—Of jersey fleece and fleece lined jersey. $1.25 values. Clearance price **69¢**

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BOYS' EXTRA HEAVY UNION SUITS—Fleece lined. Very warm garments. $2.50 values. Clearance price **$1.19**

MEN'S HOSE—Extra heavy cotton; all sizes. 25c values. Clearance price ..... **12½¢**

FINE LISLE HOSE FOR MEN—Double soles; black only. 25c values. Clearance price ..... **12½¢**

IPSWICH COTTON HOSE—Very heavy, in black only. Men's sizes. 29c values. Clearance price.... **19¢**

MEN'S IPSWICH HOSE—"Number 50." Black only. 50c value. Clearance price..... **29¢**

MEN'S BLACK HOSE—With white feet. Fine rib. 39c values. Clearance price ..... **19¢**

WOOL AND CASHMERE HOSE—In black, natural, gray and oxford. Men's sizes. 50c value. Clearance price..... **35¢ pair, 3 for $1.00**

MEN'S COAT SWEATERS—Wool and worsted. Light and dark gray, navy, blue, red. $5.00 and $6.00 values. Clearance price **$2.98**

BOYS' WOOL AND WORSTED SWEATERS—Coat style. Heavy, warm garments for indoor or outdoor wear. $4.00 values. Clearance price **$1.98**

MEN'S NIGHT SHIRTS—Made of heavy outing flannel. Light colored stripes. $2.00 values. Clearance price **$1.00**

EXTRA HEAVY FLANNEL NIGHT SHIRTS—Trimmed with silk braid. Men's sizes. $2.50 values. Clearance price **$1.49**

MEN'S PAJAMAS—Made of warm outing flannel. Pink or blue stripe patterns. $3.50 values. Clearance price **$1.98**

BOYS' PAJAMAS—Of striped outing flannel. Cut full sizes, well made. $2.00 values. Clearance price **98¢**

MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS—Cut from fine percale. Neat, light colored stripe patterns. $2.50 values. Clearance price ..... **98¢**

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MEN'S FLANNEL SHIRTS—"Congress" make, all wool, gray, blue and khaki. Marked below cost—
$4.00 values. Clearance price **$2.49**
$4.50 values. Clearance price **$2.98**
$5.00 values. Clearance price **$3.49**
$6.00 values. Clearance price **$4.29**

MEN'S SHEEPSKIN COATS—Made of heavy moleskin cloth with large beaverized collars—
$15.00 values. Clearance price **$9.85**
$18.00 values. Clearance price **$12.85**
$25.00 values. Clearance price..... **$17.85**
$32.50 values. Clearance price..... **$24.50**

CORDUROY COATS—Sheepskin lined. Fine heavy garment for all kinds of winter weather. Men's sizes. $24.00 values. Clearance price..... **$16.85**

BROWN DUCK COATS—With heavy blanket linings, all wool. Men's sizes only. $12.50 values. Clearance price **$7.85**

MEN'S WOOLEN TROUSERS—Well made, finished with best of trimmings—
$5.00 values. Clearance price..... **$2.89**
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INDEPENDENCE FOR PHILIPPINES

It was the violation of a pledge signed by King George that precipitated the present trouble in Ireland. There is no denying that pledge as it stands forever a matter of record. It was embodied in the home rule act of 1914, which provided a separate parliament with restricted powers for Ireland without distinction as to sect, race or creed. There was no Ulster, no Munster. That law seemed too fair for Mr. Carson and through his influence the home rule bill was pulled back and then followed in Ireland, loss of interest in the war, opposition to recruiting, insurrection and open rebellion, as we see it today all over the unhappy country.

From the case of Ireland the United States should learn a lesson in regard to the Philippines. The islands have been promised independence by congress, by presidents, ex-presidents, and by political parties and naturally, the people expect to see this promise fulfilled within a reasonable time.

When the United States went to war to destroy Spanish rule in Cuba, it distinctly disclaimed any disposition or intention to exercise sovereignty, jurisdiction or control of said island except for the pacification thereof and asserted its determination when that should be accomplished to leave the government and control to its people.

The government of the United States has faithfully carried out its pledge to Cuba, but its action in regard to the Philippines is in striking contrast. Yet Admiral Dewey in comparing the two peoples, wrote:

"In my opinion these people, the Filipinos, are superior in intelligence and more capable of self-government than the natives of Cuba and I am familiar with both." After further intercourse with the Filipinos, the admiral again wrote President McKinley confirming his former opinion and justifying it on the ground of more intimate knowledge of the people.

In June of 1898, Aguinaldo issued a declaration of independence and General Anderson was sent out to take charge of the insurrection. He wrote the adjutant-general at Washington to this effect:

> "They are not ignorant savage tribes, but have a civilization of their own and although insignificant in appearance are hard fighters and for a tropical people, they are industrious."

Still later Judge Blount, for six years in the Philippines, two years an officer and four a civil judge, made this statement:

> "The more you know of the educated, patriotic Filipino, the more certain you become that the (Aguinaldo) government we destroyed in 1898 would have worked quite as well as most any of the republics now in operation between the Rio Grande and Patagonia."

Various promises, definite and implied, have been made to the Filipinos by the United States government. President McKinley said "we should be recreant to a great trust if we exploited these islands."

In 1907 Governor-General Taft said: "Our jurisdiction and control will finally end in the islands when they are capable of self-government."

Governor General Harrison has notified the Washington government that "the stable government stated as a prerequisite for independence has already been established in the Philippines" and he recommends that "independence now be granted."

The government is progressive and self-supporting, all deficits having been wiped out by a budget system that ensures economic administration. Governor-General Harrison declares that native Filipinos are today governing 1,000 municipalities and 42 provinces economically, efficiently and for the good of the whole people."

That should be conclusive in regard to the Filipino demand for freedom. There is reason to believe that their government at this moment is better and more intelligent than that of many American states. It is time to grant them independence under some arrangement that will give us a coaling station there and keep the friendly regard of the people for the country that gave them freedom under security.

REPUDIATING RADICAL LEADERS

The Italian people of Lawrence have come out publicly to protest against radical agitators presuming to speak for them and to represent them as being identified with turbulent elements who favor labor strikes and movements calculated to injure themselves and the city in which they have made their homes. Here is the statement of the Lawrence Italians on this subject:

> "The purpose of this meeting is to protest against outsiders and agitators misusing the good name of the Italian people with so-called leaders professing to speak for our people, who are not related to our people.
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> "The Italian people can speak for themselves and will speak for themselves. They are loyal Americans, and are going to be loyal to the community in which they live, and to the country that is giving them protection.
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> "The Italian people wish the public to know by this meeting that they [illegible] representing them and are not wanted here in Lawrence."

By that statement, followed as it was by a public meeting for the same purpose, the Italians of Lawrence have dissociated themselves from the radical leaders who have been trying to revive the I.W.W. [illegible] the reason for [illegible] have greatly elevated themselves in the esteem of all good citizens. It remains now for some other nationalities to do likewise. Too long have the Italians, the Lithuanians, the Poles and other peoples been victimized by Bolshevik agitators who try to convince them that they are slaves, despite the fact that most of them are immeasurably better off than they were in their native land. This is equally true of the agitators.

The Amalgamated Textile Workers in forcibly breaking up the public meeting of the Italians yesterday gave a demonstration of their illegal tactics. That was not the first occasion in which they resorted to riotous methods in trying to coerce mill operatives in Lawrence. Such methods are injurious to the mill workers. The "Amalgamated" does not represent the textile unions affiliated with the United Textile Workers of America.

COINCIDENT FIRES

The more the recent fires in Worcester are studied, the more mysterious they seem. That circumstances should have combined to produce a number of very destructive fires, widely scattered at the same time, is passing strange. That two of them were due to the work of an insane man and another to the neglect of a watchman who fell asleep, seems to be demonstrated; but there is no explanation of how the others were started. Some suspected an incendiary plot by the Reds, but federal officers after a full investigation, have decided that there was no foundation for any such assumption. Neither were the other fires due to brands from those of incendiary origin. The whole affair presents an instance of coincident fires such as rarely occurs even in the largest cities; yet it presents a form of dangerous emergency for which every well equipped fire department must be prepared.

For this glorious weather we have reason to be grateful to a kind Providence. Yesterday was as mild as a day in May although in the evening there came a flurry of snow as if to assert that winter had not departed; and oh, what a bright and silvery moonlight! Yet on such a day and such a night there are people who were unhappy from their own inability to enjoy the beauties of Nature so lavishly strewn around them.

Prison Commissioner Sanford Bates is finding fault with one of the county sheriffs for having loaned prisoners to friends to work for them. It is scarcely necessary to state that the official is a shining light of the G. O.P. and is following a custom of leaders of his party in making his official position a "loan agency" for his own profit.

If Charles M. Schwab, a dollar-a-year man, received $260,000 from the government, it seems a reasonable conclusion from facts that are known that he was exceedingly tender with Uncle Sam compared with some of his associates in recouping himself for his services to the government. But we are inclined to doubt the truth of this charge against Schwab.

"Can a man save souls while wearing brass buttons and swinging a night stick?" asks the Boston Herald. Judging from conditions in Lowell, in these days of supposed prohibition, we should think that most members of the force might have a sufficiently troublesome job on their hands looking out for their own souls.

We should think that the bronze statue of Samuel Adams, in Adams square, Boston, would feel like leaving its granite pedestal, and doing something forcible to Prof. Charles Zueblin if the shade of Mr. Adams should learn that the professor has been classing him with the wild-eyed socialists of today.

Colonel Theodore Roosevelt has introduced a bill in the New York legislature providing an exemption of $100 from the income tax for each child born to a couple. Governor Miller, it is said, has seven reasons for approving the bill—they are all daughters.

It may be one way to attract men to the better life to advertise a man as a public speaker as one who has a long criminal record and who has, among other things robbed and beaten his wife, but there will be some people old-fashioned enough to connect such exhibitions with schools of crime.

A news item conveys the information that "the Indians are being stirred to savage customs by jazz music and the 'shimmy.'" A desire to use the tomahawk on persons responsible for these modern innovations has been stirred in the breasts of persons who are not Indians.

It may be necessary for Commissioner Murphy to economize in the street department, but it is difficult to understand that running an empty cart up and down Central street, with no one to gather the waste to put into it, is a satisfactory way of doing it.

The statutes say that there must be a polling place for each one thousand voters, and the way in which the mandate has been violated in Lowell illustrates once more that, between a law without teeth, and no law at all, there is often not a great deal of difference.

Marion Davies, a New York girl, has been picked by an [illegible] artist as the "perfect blonde," and the newspaper pictures indicate that she is not anxious to keep her light hidden under a barrel.

The Dutch claim that they have not ordered the kaiser to "move on" as a consequence of his plottings, but that is not saying that they have not had abundant cause for doing so.

We approve the opening of [illegible] but we see no objection to the suggestion of Supt. Kernan of the park department, that one be opened on the South common under proper direction.

Life continues to be one blessed thing after another—first the worry over prospective empty coal bins, and now over the possibility of a failure of [illegible]

[illegible] setting a style that it is desirable for the rest of us to follow.

SEEN AND HEARD

All are not angels who harp.

Doc. Bartlett says people who eat in lunch carts should not throw stones at dogs.

Brooklyn woman asks $1,000,000 from her rival because she stole her husband. Whoever heard of a husband worth $1,000,000?

New York legislature has two bills to jail theatre ticket scalpers, indicating that some aldermen were recently refused passes.

Tom Wasn't Sure

Tom Green, who owned a donkey and cart, fell into a drunken sleep by the wayside and some one stole the donkey.

When he awoke he rubbed his eyes and looked at the name on the cart. "If my name's Tom Green," he said, "I've lost a donkey. If it isn't, I've found a fine cart."

"Of Such Is the Kingdom"

Four thousand miles over the sea
The voices of mothers are crying
A summons to you and to me:
"Our children—our children are dying!

"We toil, but of food there is none,
With famine our countries are stricken,
But what have our little ones done,
That thus they should hunger and sicken?

"Oh, you, in a bounteous land,
Oh, you gentle fathers and mothers,
We plead that you may understand
The pitiful need of these others.

"Our babies who moan in their pain,
Our pale little toddlers we cherish,
We plead, may it not be in vain,
Give—give to them, give or they perish.

"They are not to blame for their need,
Their woe, or their land's desolation;
Oh, great-hearted people, give heed,
Save, save them from bitter starvation!

"Oh, give to our little ones, bread,
Made richer with love's precious leaven,
Remember the Savior, who said
Of such is the kingdom of heaven."

—BURTON BRALEY.

MAN ABOUT TOWN

Touches of gay color such as haven't been seen in the shop windows since the Christmas holidays, are now beginning to appear in honor of the coming of February 14. And if you have to think a moment before you remember just what February 14 means, you'd better tune up your heart. For on February 14 is celebrated the day when disciples of affection's patron saint, good St. Valentine, send far and wide their good wishes to friends and dear ones. Pause for a few minutes before the window of any Lowell stationery store, and you'll find it filled with bright red paper hearts, golden arrows, dainty pasteboard flowers, and prettily tinted cards bearing messages of love and good-will. You'll find, perhaps, a little child, nose pressed against the pane, eyes big with wonder and anticipation. For while many-hued valentines may be only pasteboard and dyes to some, they are far, far more to youngsters. For youngsters are incurably romantic. Now here's what the Man About Town suggests. Instead of stalking straight ahead on your way down town tomorrow, take a little time to see the window displays of valentines. You'll be surprised to find how cheery they will make you. If you gaze long enough you will find yourself inside the store, selecting big, gorgeous ones, with marvelous shades, for that little girl of your old friend Harry, that little girl who must be five or six years of age now, and who will go into raptures over the simple gift. Then the clerk will be forced to trot out the biggest one he has in stock for that sweetheart of yours, or that wife, which is the same thing with all true-hearted men. Then there must be a choice one for your mother, one which expresses some tender sentiment of gratitude and endearment. Somehow you will find that you are as enthusiastic about this holiday, as the most romantic kiddie that ever dreamed of fairy princes and enchanted maidens. And good St. Valentine will smile merrily at the acquisition of another devotee.

We read that in the good old days, politeness brought as much pleasure to the doer of a kind act as to the recipient thereof. Men and women were always on the alert to perform some friendly and courteous deed, not for any gain, but for pure joy of the thing. Sometimes we are inclined to believe that all of such charming ideas have vanished with the advent of jammed street-cars, bustling city streets, and the mad scramble in which we all must share against our old friend, H.C.L. But here's just one of the many instances which sharp eyes may discover, and which reassure us when we are lamenting the lack of kindliness as a dead virtue. A little fellow whose clothes, though scrupulously clean, bore indubitable evidences of long, long wear, was making his way along the street directly in front of me. A lady, burdened with bundles which apparently represented the weekly shopping, dropped one of her packages to the sidewalk and continued on her way without noticing the loss. Instantly the boy had picked it up and raced after her until he had attracted her attention and restored her parcel. I stopped, ostensibly to view a window display, but really to see what would happen next. The lady thanked the little chap profusely, and then suddenly, as if moved to the impulse by his pleasant face and courteous manner, she said, "Here, little boy, you hold these bundles of mine. I want to give you some spare pennies that I have in my purse. I have known little boys who, if they picked up somebody's bundle, would run in the opposite direction from that of the owner."

The boy, who had removed his threadbare cap when he handed the lady her property, now shook his curly head, which if the truth must be told, stood somewhat in need of a haircut. "No, ma'am, if you please," he protested. "I didn't do it for that."

"But I want to give you these pennies," insisted the lady who was more anxious to bestow them because of his very refusal.

"Please, no ma'am," he persevered, "I'd rather not. You see my mama says I should do little acts of kindness because that's the only way to be happy myself and not for any other reason. And I want to tell her about [illegible] But I couldn't very well if I was just doing it to get something. [illegible] to please [illegible]." The woman understood. "You're a little gentleman," she said, "and your mother has good cause to be proud of you. God bless you!" And she passed on while the boy replaced the poor cap upon his towsled head and continued his way whistling. "I guess there's plenty of courtesy and kindliness in the world yet," thought I as I watched him [illegible] If we [illegible] look for it. Perhaps the reason why we [illegible] such sadness is that we are always watching for it, while deeds of politeness go unnoticed."

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IN THE POLICE COURT

Men and Women Taken From Franklin Street House Fined and Sentenced

Alvin W. Wilford and Joseph M. Swofford were fined $75, Mary Day was sentenced to the women's reformatory, Rose E. V. Geroux was sent to jail for six months, and her daughter, Victoria Geroux, 18 years of age, was given a year's suspended reformatory sentence, today in the police court on charges of improper conduct in a house in Franklin street.

Police officers testified to entering the house in the early hours of Sunday morning and finding the three women and the two men, together with a 16-year-old boy, the son of Rose Geroux. The defendants all pleaded guilty to the charges preferred against them, but urged extenuating circumstances. Swofford, whose home is in Oklahoma and who is a clergyman's son, and Wilford appealed their fines, and the women also appealed. The men were discharged from the army some time ago, but still wore their uniforms.

Carried Revolver

Karle J. Azarowski, fined $100 today in the police court on charges of carrying a revolver without a permit, declared himself unable to pay, until it had been explained to him that failure to do so would result in 200 days in jail. When he had gained an understanding of this fact, he found that he had been mistaken in stating his inability to pay. Two local young men, George F. Santry and John Connors, appeared as witnesses against Azarowski. They testified that he was using profane language at the post-office, and that they requested him to refrain from so doing, especially in view of the fact that a portion of his remarks were directed towards a young lady bystander. He then, they stated, produced a revolver and pursued them. The defendant offered as an explanation for his conduct the fact that some boys had jostled him, causing him to give vent to the utterances charged.

Drunken Offenders

The usual Monday morning array of drunkenness cases was heard this morning. An even dozen were released without coming to trial.

Dominick Laba was fined $5 on this charge, after being arrested, released, and rearrested. A charge of larceny of 40 pounds of meat was dismissed. Witnesses who appeared against Laba were unable to identify him as the alleged thief.

A young man who appeared in court with his head swathed in bandages was given a suspended sentence of six months in the house of correction. He has a wife and two children and was recently released after serving a three months' term. His wife testified that he had been doing well during his three weeks of freedom, and pleaded for another chance for him. This was accorded, despite the fact that force was necessary in arresting, and that when a physician sought to sew a cut in his scalp received when he resisted the officer who took him to the station house, he caused a tumult. Four officers were needed to hold him, and handcuffs were also called into requisition in subduing him in order that his injuries might be attended to.

A four months' suspended house of correction sentence was imposed on Charles A. Benard, charged with drunkenness. It was testified that Benard has been in a more or less continual state of intoxication during the past three months. He had, it was stated, intimidated his family to such an extent that they finally sent for the police officers, who made the arrest. Benard was on a rampage when they arrived, and had caused damage to the household furniture by his violence.

When charged with abusing his people, he denied this, but conceded that he "might have been a little rough on them."

Peter Wasylak drew a three months' suspended sentence, also on a drunkenness charge, and was warned by Judge Enright that another breach of the peace on his part would mean a term in jail. Officers went to his house at the request of his wife and family, whom he was charged with threatening. When asked why he had been guilty of abusive conduct towards his family, he replied that he had been drunk and remembered nothing about what happened. Wasylak has already been in court on non-support charges, and is paying his wife $5 weekly on the order of the court.

Cases Continued

The case of Henry Furnell, charged with assault and battery, was continued to tomorrow. Bail was fixed at $1000.

Frank Wegory, charged with assault upon his wife, Cecylia Wegory, will be heard January 29.

John Keras, arrested on a capias for larceny, was held in $200 bonds for a hearing tomorrow.

Albert K. Jenkins, charged with the larceny of $13.90, will have a hearing March 9.

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Mother's Ironing Wax; regular 10c value. Sale price .... 7¢

Coat Hangers; regular 10c value. Sale price .... 3 for 20¢

West Electric Wavers, 5 on card; regular 25c value. Sale price .... 21¢

Mending Cotton, in black and white; regular 9c value. Sale price .... 5¢

Sanitary Napkins, 9 in box; regular 39c value. Sale price .... 30¢

Hairpin Cabinets; regular 10c value. Sale price .... 7¢

Darners; regular 10c value. Sale price, 5¢

Holdfast Linen Thread; regular 10c value. Sale price .... 2 for 15¢

Pearl Buttons, 12 on card; regular 10c value. Sale price .... 7¢

Embroidery Edging; regular 25c value. Sale price .... 19¢

Silko Crochet Cotton; regular 15c value. Sale price .... 2 for 25¢

Baby Dimple Safety Pins; regular 10c value. Sale price .... 7¢

Black and White Belting; regular 25c value. Sale price .... 19¢ Yard

Black and White Fasteners; regular 7c value. Sale price .... 2 for 7¢

Dyflake, a fast dye in pure soap flakes, all colors; regular 10c value. Sale price, 6¢

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Combination Middy Sets, composed of eagle, stars and lace braid, in red, white and navy; regular 29c value. Sale price 23¢

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ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS
by Olive Roberts Barton

"THE LOBSTER'S PLAN"

"And now," said the big lobster, when Nancy and Nick had eaten their lunch in the under-sea palace of the Bobadil Jinn, "won't you tell me your story? I've got a few minutes to spare."

So the twins told about their travels, how they were on an errand to rescue the toys Snitcher Snatch had stolen from Santa Claus at the North Pole, and how the wicked Jinn was doing all he could to prevent them from continuing their journey.

"That's too bad!" said the lobster. "I'm no friend of the Jinn's, myself, although I am cooking for him. He says that if I don't do it, he'll cause a volcano to boil the ocean and that means the end of me. I can't stand hot water. So I just say, 'Heigh-ho,' and keep on. Let's see! Where did you say that you left your box with all your charms in it?"

"Outside the wall, under a big cockle-shell," said Nancy. "We could get it if we had our Magic Green Shoes but they have disappeared."

"Oh," said the lobster, "what a pity you haven't a flat tail. They are so convenient. They let you swim upwards and backwards and any old way, always keeping two eyes open behind you. I don't know what I should do without mine." Then suddenly he exclaimed: "I have it! I shall get you the carved box myself! I can get over the high wall in a minute, hunt your box and be back before the Jinn gets home for his supper. He will come back from his Ice Palace at the North Pole on the Northern Lights, sliding the whole way on their golden beams. He'll be on time tonight, because he will be wishing to know if you are safe. And now I've another idea. Suppose you both get on my back. I'll ride you over the wall."

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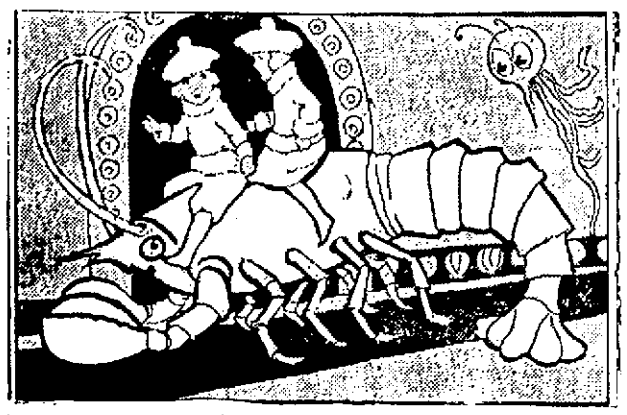

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ASSAILS PUPILS' DANCES

Pastor Babcock, in Name of Morality, Protests Against High School Functions

Protesting in the name of morality, Pastor Edward Babcock delivered a seathing denunciation of dances conducted in the name of and by the pupils of the high school in a sermon in the First Baptist church last night. His remarks were a prelude to his regular sermon. He said that many parents strongly object to the social functions and believe that the "dance is evil and only evil." He asserted that patronesses and teachers cannot act as chaperons to hundreds of young people, and that if there are to be chaperons they should be provided to accompany every girl from and to her home as well as during the dancing.

In part Pastor Babcock spoke as follows:

"In the high school life of Lowell as in many other cities, a senior class ball and other formal evening dances have become settled customs. Now there is added to these, certain recess dances on occasional days in the high school building.

Against Evening Dances

"Tonight I voice my protest first, against the formal high school dances—evening dances—given for and by high school students, and in the name of the school or some school organization.

"I protest against these dances in behalf of the student.

"I protest because of the waste of time in preparing for, and attendance on, that which is not recreation, but dissipation.

"I protest because of the waste of mental energy. The high school dance, more than any other, furnishes a continued period of emotional excitement in preparation, in anticipation, in the actual dance with its unseasonable hours, and in continued conversational recollections. No student can be held for days and weeks at high emotional tension without greatly decreasing intellectual power. The high school dance introduces many students to the dance life who otherwise would, never have sought it; and so increases during the whole student life this waste of time and mental energy.

Waste of Money

"I protest because of the waste of money. At an age when our young people should be learning habits of economy, by the very demands of the high school dance they are forming a taste for extravagant expenditure. The young people who lavish money on decorations and orchestra; who are made to believe that though they have no dollar producing capacity, they should spend money like princes; who must have provided dress conforming to the dictates of an extravagent society as if they were as old as their elders, instead of dependent children; must ride in their hired carriages to and fro;—will these ever again find satisfaction in simple pleasures? Are they not rather being robbed of the possibility of the keenest zest in pleasure? And are they learning lessons in economy through lavish outlay, accompanied by the excitement of the dance?

In Name of Parents

"I protest also in behalf of many parents.

"In some cities the question of permitting a dance to be given in the name of a class of the high school, has been submitted to the parents of the members of that class, and in every instance known to me, the vote has been adverse, usually overwhelmingly so. Many parents are aggrieved because of the expense they cannot afford, but must undertake in order to provide a few hours' pleasure for their children who will not be denied. Many parents who cannot possibly provide the means for this dissipation are grieved by the sense of social ostracism that grips the hearts of their children. Many parents are grieved because of conscience. The Puritans protested because of the outrages against morals and decency perpetrated in their day in the dances. From that day until very recent days, all people who have been deepest students of the problem of saving our boys and girls have dreaded the dance. Many parents have an inborn, ingrained belief that the dance is evil and only evil. Their conscience sits in judgment on this matter, and they are grieved at heart that their children should be tempted through the public school. This may be called old fogyism. But these people have their rights, and one of these rights is that the public school should not by an established custom in a school function, tempt their children to what they believe is sin.

Regrettable Flirtations

"These dances in other cities have seen the beginning of many a regrettable flirtation and the occasion of many a regretable incident. Unless Lowell has had a different history than other high schools, then in the wake of these dances in this city has followed a train of evils. Shall we satisfy our souls by saying, 'Tis true. 'Tis pity. 'Tis, 'tis true.' Rather say, 'Let us up, and end the custom so fraught with danger.'

Jiggs Donahue is Poo-Bah, Mikado.—Adv.

Sponges

Full of holes but wholly good.

Florida Sheeps-Wool Sponges, for auto washing. Original weight. Ounce ..... 60¢

Cup Sponges 17¢ and 25¢

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"One day a friend persuaded my wife to take Tanlac and the results have been nothing less than wonderful. Her troubles have not only entirely disappeared, but she has actually gained twenty pounds in weight and now seems to be in perfect health. She has suffered for eight years with headaches, nervousness and loss of appetite and was in a badly run-down condition. She could not eat much, had pains all through her body and limbs and was so weak at times she could hardly stand on her feet. She was losing weight and gradually getting worse all the time in spite of all we could do.

"After seeing the splendid results my wife was getting I began taking Tanlac myself and before I had finished my second bottle I was eating things I had not dared touch before in a long time? I am now eating just anything set before me and my appetite is fine. I suffered for five years with the worst kind of stomach trouble and nervous indigestion, but it has relieved me entirely. We both owe Tanlac a great debt of gratitude."

The above enthusiastic statement was made recently by Herbert O. Peters, well known citizen of Kansas City, Missouri, residing at 534 Walnut street.

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PREPARE FOR BIG MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Plans for the huge membership drive were laid Saturday evening at the regular meeting of the Crescent Hill association, held in the rooms of the organization. The drive will be followed by a closing of the charter, and work on the projected new clubhouse.

Thomas F. Garvey, Jr., John McHale, Edward Descoteaux, James Manning, Fred Burke, and Richard Casey were appointed team captains for the enterprise of securing new members, and ten assistant workers were selected by each of these. The teams obtaining the two largest numbers of recruits to the association will be awarded prizes.

The executive board and board of trustees will hold a joint meeting Thursday evening to consider the formation of a voluntary benefit association, as a result of a vote of the members. It was also voted to invite the Woodbine Social association to participate on a bowling, card, and pool tournament as guests of the association. The president and athletic committee will handle arrangements for this affair, the object of which is to foster friendly relations between the city's social organizations.

Other business of the meeting included the admission of two members, the reception of an application, reports by the various boards and committees, and the election of Rene Levesque as sergeant-at-arms.

TWO-IN-ONE ANDERSON

So successful has been the demonstration of the two-in-one Anderson car at the Auburn Motor company on Thorndike street, that the local agent, G. W. Morrison, has decided to extend the special offer which he made for the auto show week.

That it is possible for a car to be a classy roadster at one moment and in less than a minute be transformed into as classy a touring car, can be readily demonstrated with this car.

Fish Tush as Jas. MacDonald Mikado.—Adv.

When a Moro gives a dinner party the repast is spread upon a floor covered with banana leaves.

Mrs. Hazel Rounds Tells How Cuticura Healed Pimples

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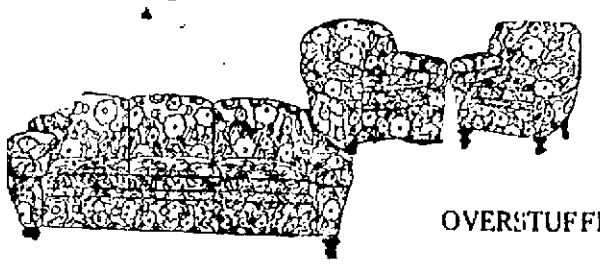
Sample Each Free by Mail. Address: "Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. K, Malden 48, Mass." Sold everywhere. Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c. Talcum 25c. Cuticura Soap shaves without mug.

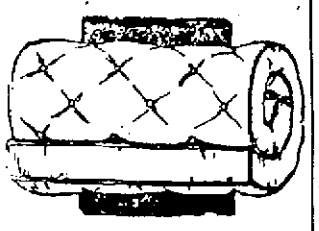
February Furniture Sale



OVERSTUFFED SUITES

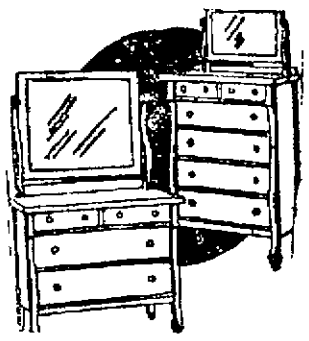
A Really Wonderful Suite of quality and comfort, three large pieces, Chair, Davenport and Rocker with spring arms, spring seat, back and spring edge, upholstered in highest grade of figured velour; $450.00 value. February Furniture Sale $250.00

HAIR MATTRESSES



Made of pure, sanitary, long black hair, 45 pounds in weight, covered with best grade heavy striped ticking, all sizes. February Furniture Sale.... $25

DRESSER and CHIFFONIER



Quartered Oak Dresser or Chiffonier, well made and finished, rich colonial design, with shaped top, drawers and large mirror; $65 value. February Furniture Sale..... $35

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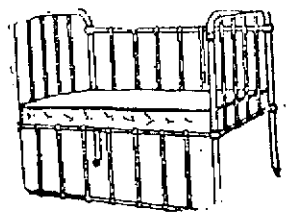


All Iron Crib, built extra strong, with high safety sides and ends; soft, comfortable spring that will not rust; white enamel finish; $20.00 value. February Furniture Sale $12.50

UPHOLSTERED ROCKER

Large, comfortable, high back, wing rocker, with loose cushion spring seat and spring back, upholstered in high grade tapestry; $60.00 value. February Furniture Sale $35

SILK FLOSS MATTRESS

Guaranteed 100% pure silk floss, full weight and thickness, covered in high-grade ticking, all sizes. February Furniture Sale $16.50

DRESSER

Mahogany or Walnut Finished Dresser, with a large mirror and deep drawers; $42.50 value. February Furniture Sale $27.50

BUFFET

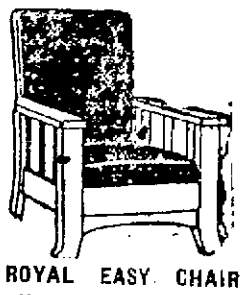
Beautiful Figured Quartered Oak Buffet of colonial design. Has large French plate mirror, large drawers and cupboards and lined silver drawer; $70.50 value. February Furniture Sale $52.50

BED SPRINGS

The celebrated "Wishbone" spring, made of the very best steel obtainable and enameled; a sanitary grey baked on by electricity; durable, comfortable spring, all sizes. February Furniture Sale $7.98

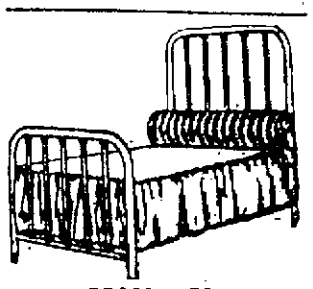
COUCH BED

The famous "Dream Couch Bed," made of heavy striped steel tubing; best National spring, with best quality white felt mattress; easily operated; $40 value. February Furniture Sale $28.50



ROYAL EASY CHAIR

The Famous Royal Easy Chair, reclines to any desired position, has concealed foot rest that may be used or put out of the way as you will; the easiest easy chair made; mahogany and fumed oak finish; $40 value. February Furniture Sale $25.00



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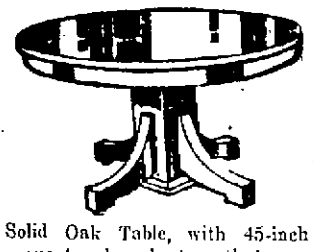
$45 value. February Furniture Sale $30.00

$50 value. February Furniture Sale $32.50

$55 value. February Furniture Sale $35.00

$65 value. February Furniture Sale $45.00

DINING TABLE



Solid Oak Table, with 45-inch quartered oak top that extends to 6 feet; has heavy colonial base, with heavy shaped legs, nicely finished; $45.00 value. February Furniture Sale $32.50

CHAIR OR ROCKER

Heavy mahogany finished frames with fine cane back and soft spring seat covered in high grade velour—chair and rocker. $25.00. value. February Furniture Sale $15.50

MISSION SUITE

Solid oak suite of three pieces, chair, settee and rocker, rich fumed finish with high back, wide arms and deep spring seats. $60.00 value. February Furniture Sale $41.50

CHAMBER SUITE

An exceptionally well made suite, Queen Anne style, consisting of four pieces: Dresser, chifferette, toilet table and full size bed. American walnut or mahogany finish. $350 value. February Furniture Sale $225

COTTON MATTRESS

Made throughout of absolutely clean white cotton, full weight thickness and made with a heavy roll edge. Covered in high grade ticking, all sizes. February Furniture Sale $8.98

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SMITH-TOWNER BILL

Natl. Catholic Welfare Council Approves Its Aims But Condemns Its Methods

The National Catholic Welfare council has issued the following statement in reference to the Smith-Towner education bill before congress:

This bill in its present form was introduced in congress in May, 1919. Hearings on it were held before a joint committee of the house and the senate in July of the same year. Attempts were made to have it endorsed by the republican convention in Chicago and by the democratic convention in San Francisco. These attempts were not successful, but strenuous efforts are being made by its supporters to have it passed during the present session of congress.

Provisions

I. The bill provides for the establishment of a federal department of education with a secretary of education, who shall be a member of the president's cabinet. Said department is to undertake investigations regarding illiteracy, education of immigrants, public school education, especially rural education, physical education, preparation of teachers for the public schools, and such other matters as, in the judgment of the secretary of education, may require attention and study.

II. The bill further provides that congress shall appropriate annually the sum of one hundred million dollars to encourage the states in the promotion and support of education. This money is to be apportioned to the states for the purposes noted above as fields of investigation to be undertaken by the department of education. Each state is free to accept or reject federal aid. In case of acceptance the state shall contribute out of its own funds an amount equal to that which it receives through apportionment from the federal government; the so-called dollar-for-dollar plan.

III. The bill provides that "all the educational facilities encouraged by the provisions of this act and accepted by a state shall be organized, supervised and administered exclusively by the legally constituted state and local educational authorities of said state." On the the other hand, it lies with the secretary of education to determine whether or not the apportionment made to each state is being expended in accordance with the provisions of the act. Should he decide that the state is not carrying out these provision, he is authorized to withhold the appropriation.

We hold that it is desirable to accomplish the purposes set forth in the bill and noted above. We are as eager as anyone else to eliminate illiteracy, to educate immigrants, to provide for the right sort of physical training. In particular we realize the necessity of preparing competent teachers and of securing adequate compensation for all who are engaged as teachers.

We recognize the utility and even the necessity of extending federal aid to the states under certain conditions. It is not, therefore, a question of approving or condemning such aid as a matter of principle, but rather of discriminating between cases in which it would be wise to extend federal aid and other cases in which it would be unwise and contrary to the best interests of the nation.

Briefly, we approve the educational aims set forth in the Smith-Towner bill; we object to the method by which it proposes to attain them.

1st. The Smith-Towner bill is another step towards centralization. However it may, in its wording, restrict the power of the department of education, it establishes the most effectual sort of control, i. e., the financial obligation under which it puts the states. The proposed secretary of education would control the expenditure, not only of the money appropriated to the state by the federal government but also of the money which the state is required to contribute in amount equivalent to the federal appropriation.

2nd. The result of this measure will be to make the state depend more and more on the federal government, not only on matters of national import, but also in matters which concern the state itself. There is no surer way of destroying state autonomy than to give over to the federal government, even in part, the state's responsibility in the matter of education.

3rd. Whatever money is appropriated by the federal government must come out of the pockets of the people. It is a question of internal revenue. If this revenue be used to aid any particular state, the amount so appropriated must come in part at least from the other states. And since the bulk of the revenue is paid in by the more prosperous states, the result will be that they are obliged to settle the educational bills of the less prosperous states.

4th. Another effect of the bill will be to create a tendency on the part of the states to neglect their duty in the matter of public education. The annual appropriations now made by each state and now increased every year, will be made only large enough to secure the federal grant, if this bill becomes a law. Therefore, home interest as well as home rule in education will be seriously lessened.

5th. The secretary of education and his subordinates will be political appointees. They will change with the change of administration. Naturally, they will follow their political preferences in organizing the department and shaping its policies. They will always have in view the possibility of using the educational system in furtherance of their own partisan interests. The public-school system will become a vast political machine. And this politico-educational machine will give a federal administration the opportunity of creating an educational autocracy—really endangering the liberty of thought and information, which is a basic right of the people.

We propose, therefore, the following measures as substitutes for those of the Smith-Towner bill:

A. To establish a federal agency or commission which shall investigate educational problems of national scope and significance, obtain and disseminate information that will be useful to the schools, point out defects and suggest remedies, devise objective standards of educational efficiency and progress, and thereby stimulate the people and the educational agencies in each state to better effort in behalf of education.

B. To let each state provide out of its own funds what is needed for the educational purposes above mentioned. Even in the poorer states, education can be aided by wise and much needed economies in the expenditures of public funds.

With the present national debt, enormous taxes and the cost of all commodities, it would certainly be unwise for congress to lay an extra burden of one hundred million dollars annually on the people at large. The increase will really amount to two hundred millions, if all the states match the federal appropriation. This means, at a 4 per cent rate of interest, an addition of five billion dollars to the national debt. When retrenchment is imperatively demanded in every department of government, it would be unjust to make the burden of taxation still heavier—especially as the expenditure would involve consequences detrimental to education and to state autonomy.

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166 CENTRAL STREET

ELEVEN SHOT TO DEATH IN IRELAND ON WEEK-END

BELFAST, Jan. 24.—One constable was killed and another wounded by unknown persons Saturday night while they were on their way from Clones, County Monaghan to the scene of a burglary.

Three constables were fired on while proceeding to the barracks at Monaghan. Two were killed and one was seriously wounded.

The body of a former soldier named Denis Dyer was found Saturday on the roadside near Bandon. A label was pinned to his clothes. It said that he had been condemned as a spy.

Two farmers, William Elliott and William Charter, were kidnapped Saturday. Elliott's body later being found in a bog near Bellinulee. No trace has been found of Charter.

Dublin Castle reports that three men who resided in County Galway were shot dead Saturday while attempting to evade arrest.

Two constables who had been shot dead and another who had been wounded were found Saturday night lying on the Road Stranooden.

Buildings Seized

DUBLIN, Jan. 24.—All the buildings in Palace stret, which overlooks the main entrance to Dublin castle, have been commandeered by the military. The residents of the buildings have been ordered to quit their premises before next Thursday.

Constable Johnston who was wounded in an attack on the Parnell bridge in Cork, died yesterday.

To Learn Sentiment

CORK, Jan. 24.—"The Sinn Feiners are as far as ever from any intention of accepting the partition act though it is probable they may be prepared to use the electoral machinery thus provided to ascertain the sentiment of the people," said Professor Alfred O'Rahilly, registrar of the University of Cork and one of the principal leaders of the Irish movement yesterday.

"I do not doubt that the Sinn Feiners would be returned by a larger majority than in the last election," he added, "in fact the Sinn Feiners never were more united than they are today."

FORESTERS MEMBERSHIP DRIVE COMMITTEE

The big drive committee composed of the local courts of the Foresters of America met yesterday morning at 10.30 o'clock in Odd Fellows' building, Middlesex street, to hear the reports of the various sub-committees in regard to membership. The report was to the effect that many new applications had been received and the balloting will take place at the next regular meetings of the various courts. Matters pertaining to the degree work and the formation of a degree staff were discussed and Alphonse Vallerand, captain of the guards, urged all ex-service men and in fact all men who have had military training to report to him tomorrow evening at the meeting of Court Merrimack in Grafton hall, when the degree staff will start its rehearsal, the drill and rehearsal to be held immediately after the business session.

The following committee was appointed to make arrangements for a hall for the grand union meeting, which will be held next March: Deputy Thomas Quinn, Thomas Green, John Barrett, F. J. Murphy, Joseph St. Hilaire and Thomas Downing. The entertainment committee was chosen as follows: Ambrose Ready, Henry Duprez and F. J. Murphy. The secretary was instructed to notify the grand officers of the date of the grand union meeting and also to extend them an invitation to be present. Bro. Thomas Quinn reported he had already arranged for the uniforms and paraphernalia for the degree work. The meeting then adjourned until next Sunday morning.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The second half year of the high school year was begun today. Many new classes were formed for those students repeating subjects or those entering the study of new branches.

The debating society is conducting a very enthusiastic membership drive in all classes and buildings of the school. The goal for membership is set at 300 and aside from the campaign to be managed by the officers of the organization, committees will be appointed in each room of the school to manage the interests of the debating society.

Several novel signs on the membership drive have been posted throughout the school. On each is drawn a "thermometer" with the highest mark of 200 and intermediate marks at each advance of 50 members. The fee for membership in the Greenhalge debating society is 10 cents.

The officers of the organization are planning a series of inter-class debates the first of which will be held next Friday afternoon in high school on the subject, "Resolved that Immigration should be Restricted."

Principal Harris spoke very highly of the local school basketball team this morning and commended Coach McIntyre for his good work in coaching during the short time that the team has been in action.

"One thing that we endeavor to emphasize in all our sports," said Mr. Harris, "is that we are not out in the first place to win the game. Our first aim is the development of the character of the individual. The matter of winning a game or contest is of secondary importance."

The 1921 track team which made such a good start last Saturday night by defeating the alumni in a very exciting meet will clash with Wakefield high school in the annex next Saturday evening.

CHORAL SOCIETY CONCERT

One of the biggest roles in all oratorio is the title role in Mendelssohn's "Elijah," which will be sung at the Choral society concert tomorrow evening. Norman Jollif, a baritone from New York, is the singer who will handle this part on that occasion, and judging from advance reports, the Choral society has made a find.

Mr. Jollif came to New York city eight years ago from Toronto and shortly thereafter succeeded the eminent Dr. Carl Dufft as baritone soloist at the Marble Collegiate church.

After his appearance at the Springfield festival last May, it was said of him: "Mr. Jollif's appearance was a complete triumph. He possesses a voice of unusual resonance and virility, and he sings with admirable expression and fine dramatic sense. His perfect enunciation added greatly to the enjoyment of his singing."

And after an appearance in Hamilton, Ont., when he sang the same role of Elijah which he is to sing here, the Hamilton Spectator wrote as follows: "Mr. Jollif at once won his audience by his beautiful voice and artistic singing. His rendering of 'It Is Enough' was wonderfully effective."

Good seats for this concert may still be obtained at Steinert's, 130 Merrimack street, and at the Strand after 7.15 tomorrow evening.

GLEE CLUB REHEARSAL

The usual glee club rehearsal was held yesterday afternoon in the Community Service club rooms in the Runels building under the direction of Miss Jessie Hager. Following the rehearsal the club doors were thrown open to all club members for a social gathering and entertainment. Vocal selections were rendered by Miss Leona Small and Mr. Bertram Neild. In his rendition of "The Drum Major," Mr. Neild made a decided hit and received prolonged applause. Chocolates and cocoa were served by members of the social committee under the direction of Miss Mildred Buzzell, chairman. The hostesses of the afternoon were Miss Edith Erskine and Miss Genevieve Lawrence. Because of the series of lectures to be given each evening this week in the high school in connection with the community play school instruction, there will be no sessions of the gymnasium classes of the club.

TELEPHONE ALARMS

At 5.07 o'clock yesterday morning a telephone alarm was sent in for a slight blaze in a closet at 7 West Burnside street. No damage. Shortly before 5 o'clockin the afternon there were two telephone alarms for grass fires, one off Sanders avenue and the other near Wedge stret.

SAMUEL H. HINES LODGE

At a recent meeting of Samuel H. Hines lodge, 56, K. of P. the following officers were inducted into office by D.G.C. Fred H. Vatter and suite of Lawrence: Fred W. Ireland, C.C., Albert A. Boden, V.C., Frank B. Millett, P., Ernest L. Griffin, W. W., Robert J. Fullerton, K. R. S., Wallace M. Langell, M.F., Edward E. Rawlinson, M.A., George W. Chaput, I.G. and Charles Dane, O.G.

Audience Heard Pep Talk

Continued

stand throughout the entertainment and lecture.

In opening, the entire assembly was led in prayer by Rev. Fr. Curtin for the repose of the soul of the late Mrs. Francis G. Finnegan, a former member of the women's organization. Miss Alice T. Lee was the presiding officer. The entertainment included the singing of a hymn written by Cardinal O'Connell and an orchestral selection composed by Mr. Henry Gilday. Mrs. Benjamin F. Pickett, soprano soloist, sang "The Swallows" and "My Heart is Singing," accompanied at the piano by Miss Marion M. Ryan. Selections were rendered by the Mandolin club followed by the singing of a hymn composed by the late Bishop Delany. The solo part was sustained by Miss Clotilda Delany, a sister of the late bishop, assisted in chorus by the Choral club of the league.

In his open forum meetings throughout the country, Mr. Collins said that the types of questioners could bedivided in three classes, first the serious minded non-Catholic men and women; secondly, the socialists and other such radical reformers; and thirdly, those narrow-minded people swayed by bigotry whom he might term "nuts." He said that the questions asked by the latter class always offered him the opportunity of presenting and explaining in a true light the truths of Catholicity.

Questions were asked on innumerable subjects, he said and included those fired by socialists who demanded explanations of the creation of the world and of the stand of the Catholic church in regard to their own beliefs and on education. "Why is the Catholic church opposed to education?" was one of the questions asked at a meeting, and Mr. Collins answered it by referring to the great number of institutions of learning established throughout the world by the Catholic church, including such universities as Cambridge and Oxford and many of the most ancient and distinguished on the continent.

Other questions answered by Mr. Collins throughout the country were on the justification of the establishment of the Catholic church, the principles and duties of the K. of C. and the church's attitude in reference to the bible. The lecturer then treated in an effective manner his method of refuting the condemnation that the Catholic church is against the bible showing that the church offers indulgences for reading the bible regularly.

The non-believer in God because he saw no miracles, he said, was brought to reason by reference to the miracles of astronomy and the expanse of the universe. Mr. Collins answered that man who denied the existence of God because He could not be seen, by saying, "I might say you have no brains, because I can't see them."

"Millions of souls outside the church he said, "will n ever realize the truth Christ laid down, because certain weak-kneed Catholics are afraid to state the teachings of their religion. The kind of Catholic that is respected is the one who stands up and boldly declares himself and his principles. When you drive home those principles fearlessly, yet kindly, then will men and women see the[ir] ... and thus you do a service for God and your country."

Having been called upon during the war by the government to speed up industrial activities, Mr. Collins explained in minute detail the working out of his slogan, "Pep Will Win the War." As he proceeded with his talk he made an elaborate diagram on a blackboard and his interpretation of the "pep-graph" was followed by those present with great interest.

As he inscribed the letters, Mr. Collins said pep equals personality expressing personality, the first "P" standing for patriotism, a new element in industry which met with enthusiastic response during the war. The "E" in pep is enthusiasm which is the steam, the driving force. From it much is possible; without it little is accomplished. The final "P" in pep is production the thing we are after that which makes the world go around. Without production we might as well go back to the ideas of the "cave-man." A pep graph—patriotism-enthusiasm-production—was then formed.

"Coupled with enthusiasm," said Mr. Collins, "we must have energy to bring production.

"But again, we can't have production without encouragement, which is the biggest thing in the whole psychology of successful industrial administration. Thus for the "E" in pep we have encouragement, enthusiasm and energy.

"In time of war we made this diagram into a high powered gun, patriotism we loaded at the breech; enthusiasm the spark to ignite; production the shot and shell we sent into the enemy and energy and encouragement form the axle that carried the load."

The "pep" graph as worked out by Mr. Collins as the key to all industrial progress was quite ingenious but cannot be produced as he illustrated on a blackboard; but it had these combinations:

Personal efficiency, protection; personality, efficiency, perseverance; patriotism, enthusiasm, production; protection, efficiency, partnership; permanent employment, pays. The wheels of the wagon as he called his "pep-graph were: Public education produces; protective economic progress; practical effective plans; permanent established peace.

The main message offered in his long address was compressed in three points, first the practical efficacy of prayer; secondly, the way by which we may become really true Christians by the wonderful efficacy of daily or of frequent communion, in partaking the spiritual bread for which we ask in the Lord's prayer; and thirdly, that whenever you need the grace of God in your work, if you are working for the honor and glory of God, it will never fail you.

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SEIZE $59,000 WORTH OF LIQUOR AT OXFORD

OXFORD, Mass., Jan. 24.—The biggest whiskey haul made in New England since the Volstead act was put into effect took place here at 10 o'clock last night, when federal officers, assisted by local constables raided the old "Peter Kidder place," owned and occupied by John Malkowiski, a farmer, and captured 35 barrels of liquor, valued at $59,000.

The cache for the whiskey was a shed near the farm house. The officers found the door to the shed unlocked, and the barrels standing on end on the floor.

Malkowiski, who was placed under arrest, was taken to Boston by federal officers. He denied ownership of the whiskey, stating to the police that a man came to his house Friday night and declared his truck had broken down. He said the stranger asked him if he could leave his cargo in the farmer's shed, to which Malkowiski said he gave assent. The owner of the whiskey, according to the farmer, said he would return in a couple of days for it.

The federal officers say the whiskey was stolen from the general bonded warehouse in Boston.

Trucks were ordered from Worcester and the whiskey was taken last night to Boston under an armed guard. Malkowiski accompanied the officers.

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LENINE'S ULTIMATUM

Negative Response Indicates Big Split in Ranks of Socialist Party

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Nicolai Lenine's ultimatum to the socialists of the world, giving them the "21 conditions" to which they must subscribe before they can be received into the third or communist internationale of Moscow, has met with a widespread, if in many cases negative response. It indicates a decided split in the ranks of the socialist party in many countries judging by reports from abroad.

In the 15 nations where such opinions have been expressed, four have been unqualifiedly against entering the third internationale, one is undecided, three are divided and seven in favor are opposed by determined minorities.

Lenine demanded, among other things, that socialist organizations must purge themselves of all moderates, defy all national laws, undermine armies, gain control of the press, throw off the allied "yoke," promote a world economic crisis, condemn any league of nations, aid the soviet government and abandon for the blood and fire of "red revolution" all conservative social democratic programs.

Action on the Bolshevik dictator's terms has been taken as follows:

United States—National executive committee of socialist party in refusing to recommend affiliation, said: "We concede to the Russian comrades the right to formulate their own internal policies without interference from any other section of the working class movement of the world. What we concede to them we claim for ourselves. Every resolution adopted by our party implies or claims this right for the American movement."

England—Leaders of British labor party and trades union congress, in appeal to socialists and communist parties of world urged efforts to "reconstitute the internationale on a non-sectional basis."

Italy—Executive committee of Italian socialist party voted to adhere to internationale principles and appealed to Lenine for aid, but he warned them they must first eliminate the reformist or conservative element.

Germany—Independent socialists at a conference in Halle in October, voted to adhere to the third internationale program, the vote being 237 to 156. Great disorder marked the session and a number of delegates bolted the conference. A month previously independent socialists at a convention in Berlin went on record against Bolshevism.

France—Socialists split into three factions following convention at Tours on December 29, at which a motion by the left wing to join the third internationale without reservations received 3208 votes, winning by a large majority. The centre and right groups oppose the elimination of conservative leaders.

Spain—Socialist congress voted in favor of the Bolshevist program last June, but no definite action was taken until September when Marcline Domingo and his followers pledged adherence to Lenine and his rule of the proletariat.

Switzerland—Executive committee of the Swiss socialist party refused allegiance to the Lenine program. The party approved the committee's stand, but a split followed over the question of joining the third internationale.

Chile—A socialist party referendum resulted in majority of socialists registering their approval of the Moscow dictatorship, but a small minority opposes adherence to Lenine.

Argentine—Delegates to the national socialist convention on Jan. 10, by a vote in the ratio of three-to-one, rejected a proposal to accept Lenine's terms and decided not to send envoys to Russia to study sovietism.

Sweden—Extreme socialists and laboritos favor world revolution. Independent socialists in 1919 voted to join the third internationale.

Norway—Resolutions advocating creation of a revolutionary regime based on the soviet system were passed at the last socialist congress. Scandinavian workers' congress in session at Copenhagen, however, by a vote of 353 to 15, rejected the Norwegian socialist proposal to enter the Moscow internationale and denounced what it characterized as Lenine's "barbaric terrorist regime."

Holland—Dutch socialists in conference on Oct. 27 decided to defer action on the Lenine ultimatum.

Belgium—Socialists rejected the overtures of third internationale leaders and declared their purpose of preserving independence of action.

Austria—Extreme socialists after accepting membership in the third internationale broke off relations with Moscow on Nov. 8, the social democrats passing resolutions condemning the Lenine-Trotzky regime as designed to "disrupt trade unionism."

Mexico—"Communist congress of the Mexican proletariat" in Mexico City on Sept. 19 ended in disorder when plans were started for the organization of the fourth internationale, Bolshevism previously had been indorsed by some of the speakers. Radicalism reported spreading in Yucatan where property of opponents of Bolshevism has been dynamited.

The Baltic states went on record against sovietism when the social democratic congress at Riga on Dec. 18-20 rejected adherence to the Moscow program by a large majority. While the socialists of Strasburg voted adherence to Lenine, the French Agricultural Federation announced it Lenine-Trotzky regime as designed to legitimate to him.

No official expression of opinion on the Lenine ultimatum has so far been made by socialist or communist bodies in the following countries: Canada, Australia, New Zealand, Portugal, China, Japan, Colombia, Venezuela or Peru.

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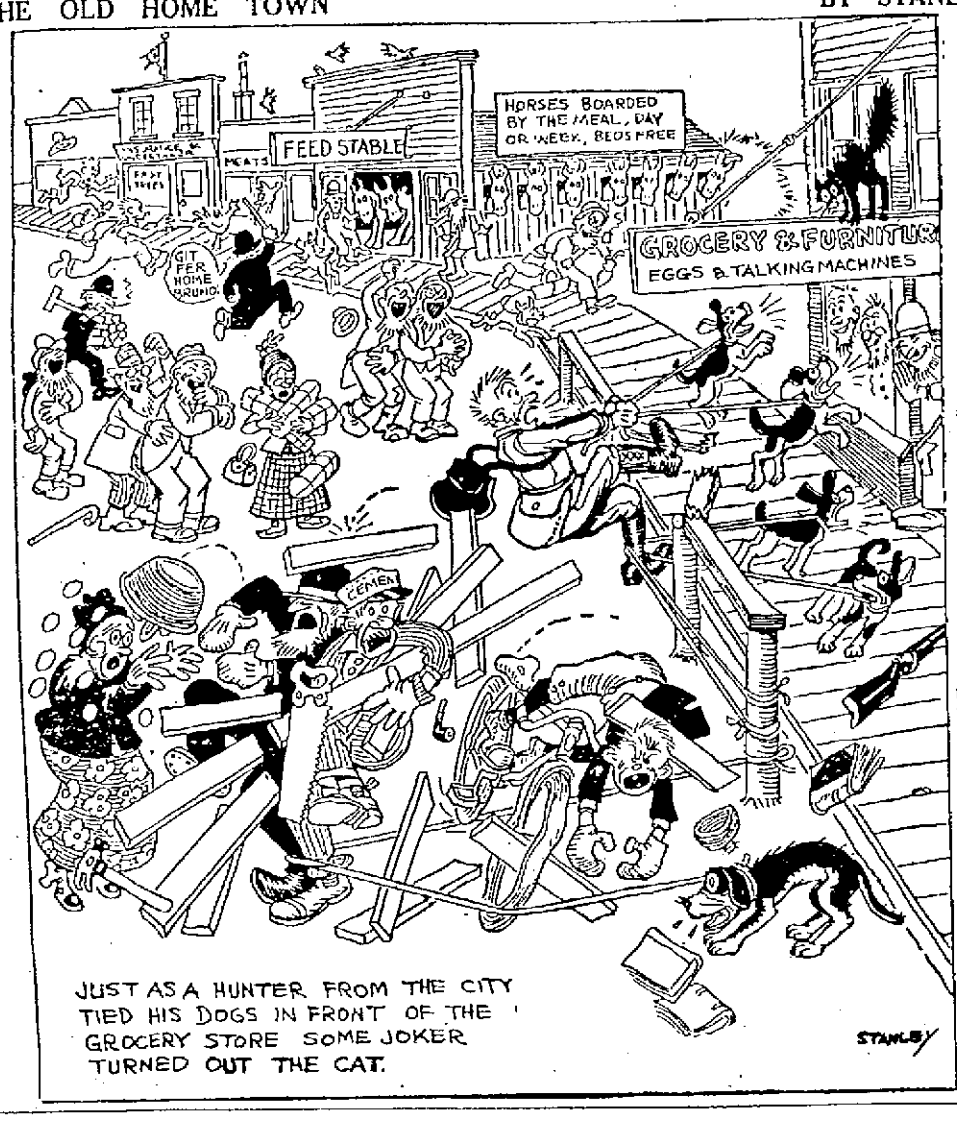

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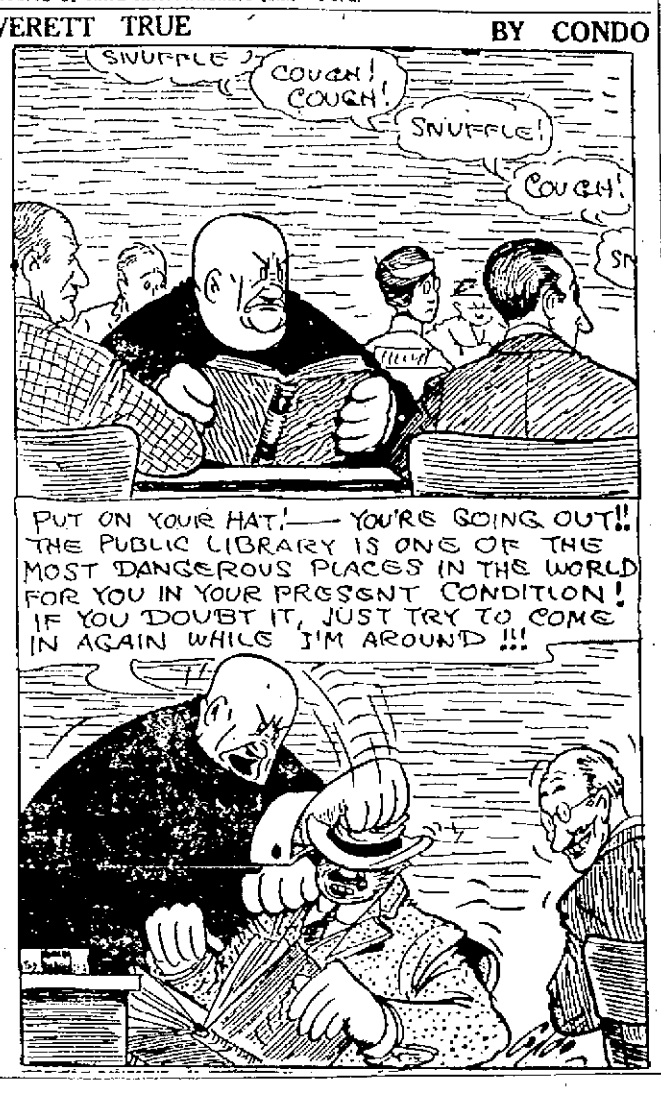

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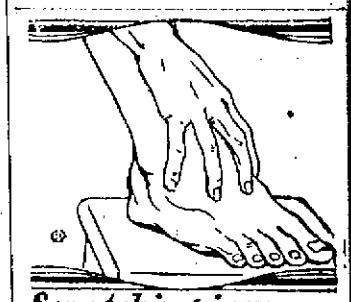

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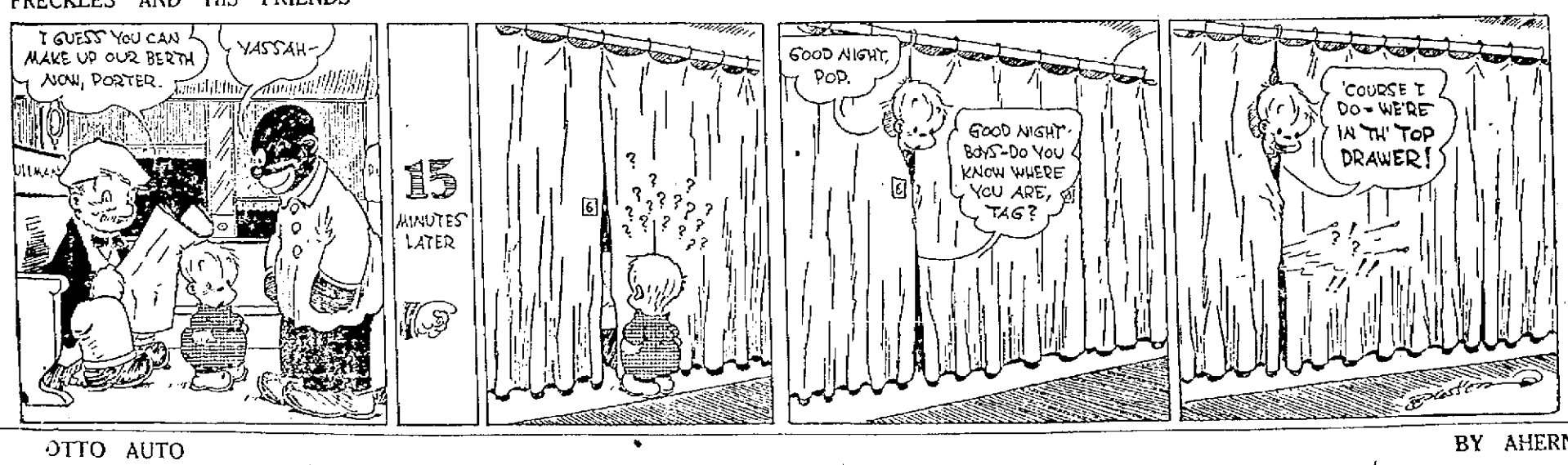

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Sporty News and Newsy Sports

OPEN TRACK SCHEDULE

Lively Contests at Paige Street Annex—High School Defeats Alumni

The first dual meet of the local high school's 1921 track schedule, between the high school and the L.H.S. alumni, at the Paige street annex Saturday night drew a crowd which packed the hall to the doors. Every available bit of standing room was taken while the tops of the gun racks proved advantageous positions from which to view the meet by many of the younger track fans of the school out in large numbers supporting their team. The relay race decided the meet. The alumni lost by a few yards and thus yielded nine points which put the younger fellows two points ahead and made them the winners by the score of 37 to 35.

Many of the old-timers scheduled to run changed their minds at the last minute, not willing to go up against a squad of men who have been training constantly for a few weeks past. Nevertheless, the alumni were well represented by such men as Jimmie Liston of Boston college, Max Sherburne, of Dartmouth, Paddy Mullane of Tufts, Falls of the army, Mansur, Rowlandson of B.C., Silcox and DeLorme. Considering the fact that most of the alumni who ran have not competed for some time and are out of training, their showing was very commendable, but no more so than that of the high school men, many of whom are new at the game.

The dashes brought Rowlandson, of the alumni, to prominence, for in his heats he edged-in a good distance ahead of Mansur and Silcox, former stars in that event. His style of running is a lesson to the novice in the art of using one's arms. When he runs, his arms just seem to pull him along the track, and by peculiar methods of balancing with his arms at the banks, he prevents stumbling. Sherburne walked away with the 1000 yard run, but Willard and Forrest deserve great credit for their efforts to run him down. Paddy Mullane, who had the 1000 all his own way when he was running at school and at one time defeated Sherburne, started in the run, but gave up after completing about six laps. In the beginning of the race Forrest and Mullane tried batting with Sherburne, but the latter just coolly stepped ahead of them a few yards and easily paced in about a lap in the lead of his field.

The 300 was one of the most exciting and drew out yelling and screeching, the like of which was never before heard in the drill shed. Most of it was for O'Hare who has made a hit with Lowell sport-goers for his splendid pluck.

Some time ago it was doubtful whether O'Hare could participate in track athletics because of the injury he received in football and the operation he had to undergo in the hospital, but he surely gave promise last night that he will be as strong this year as he was last.

Hart took the lead in the 300 at the first bank and kept it until the last bank when he stumbled and was passed by O'Hare. Delorme of the alumni strained every muscle to catch Hart and came within arm's reach just when the latter fell, second and third places going to Cahill and Delorme.

Lowell high has some very likely looking candidates in the high jump feature. This number was won by Mansur at 5 feet, 6 inches, followed by Saunders, second and McAdams and Donahue, tied for third place. Donahue showed good form though but a very young fellow. He has had considerable practice from competition in schoolboy meets on the South common. McAdams, high captain, is not down to best form as yet in the jump, and Saunders of the alumni seemed very heavy. Donahue and McAdams could not negotiate the bar at the five foot four mark, while Saunders failed at 5 feet six inches.

Another display of Paddy Mullane's craftiness was given in the 600 yard run when he held all his reserve to the last lap and pulled up from end position to second place. He misjudged the leading man, Peters, however, and did not start his final burst of speed soon enough to catch him. Mullane took the first bank, but was immediately passed by Sheehan who was followed on the first lap by Peters, Ray Liston and Heathcock. Peters crept to the lead in the third lap and battled with Ray Liston for the position for some time. The latter dropped behind Sheldon and couldn't touch Mullane's final speed.

Summary: 30 yard dash, first heat, won by Rowlandson; second Mansur; time four seconds; second heat, won by Cahill, second, O'Hare; time, four seconds; third heat won by Hart, second, McAdams, time 4 1-5 seconds; fourth heat won by Silcox, second, Jimmie Liston, time 3 4-5 seconds.

Semi-finals, first heat won by Rowlandson; second, Mansur; time 3 4-5 seconds; second heat won by McAdams, second Silcox, time four seconds. Final heat, 30 yard dash won by Rowlandson, second Silcox, third McAdams, time 3 4-5 seconds. Score: Lowell 1, Alumni 8.

1000 yard run, won by Sherburne, second Willard, third Forrest; time, 2 minutes 11 3-5 seconds Score, Lowell 5, Alumni 13.

300 yards, won by O'Hare; second Cahill; third, Delorme. Time 42 seconds. Score, Lowell 13, Alumni 14.

Shot-put, won by Falls; second Bachman; third, Jimmie Liston. Distance 40 feet, 3½ inches. Score, Lowell 16, Alumni 20.

Running high jump, won by Mansur; second Saunders, tied for third McAdams and Donahue. Height, five feet, six inches. Score, Lowell 17, Alumni 28. 600 yard run, won by Peters; second, Paddy Mullane; third, Woods. Time, 1 minute, 33 4-5 seconds. Score, Lowell 23, Alumni, 31.

35 yard hurdles, won by McAdams, second, Jimmie Liston, third, Heathcock. Time, 5 seconds. Score: Lowell 25, Alumni 35.

1290 yard relay race, won by Lowell. Alumni, Saunders, Delorme, Liston, Rowlandson, Lowell, Clark, Hannigan, Cahill, McAdams.

NOTES OF THE MEET

That victory by Sherburne over Mullane in the 1000 was surely sweet for the former, for it wiped out an old score. Sherburne expected an even match with Mullane and claimed before he entered that he was not in training. Some running!

Evidently military training does not go well with athletics. "Bing" Falls, who is in the army tried the hurdles, but was disqualified by knocking down two uprights. The stiff back and straight shoulders needed by a West Point enthusiast do not go well with hurdling.

Hereafter, we'll all know when "Red" O'Hare is pulling off some flashy work by the amount of howling, whistling and screeching. He received a great ovation.

Jimmie Liston was there strong. He is a pretty heavy looking man in a track suit, but his training at B.C. track practice will undoubtedly trim him down.

Victory for Lowell in the relay was due to the good start made by Clark. He established a lead over Saunders that was never recovered throughout the race.

FAST BASKETBALL GAME

American Legion Wins From Pere Marquette K. of C. in Overtime Game

The basketball game between the local American Legion Five and Pere Marquette Council, K. of C. Boston, in Legion hall, Saturday night, had to go through an overtime session to break off a tie score of 18 to 18. Through flashy work, Lowell became victors by adding two more baskets to their total in the five-minute overtime and making the score 22 to 18. Foley, the lightest man on the Legion team, who played quietly but effectively throughout the game, showed a wonderful burst of speed and rushed through the first basket in breaking the tie score.

The husky Pere Marquette fellows, stars on the gridiron (and many of them wore the lettered sweaters won on the football field) met their match and traveled homeward, downcast, and realizing they were fairly beaten. During the first period of the game they could not understand the quickness of the Lowell players. In fact they did not expect such lightning sport and before the game was over they came to the conclusion that the Lowell five had been trained efficiently to cover every player, man for man.

This covering work actually proved the salvation of the game for the locals for they did not allow their opponents to hold the ball and destroyed practically ever chance for them to pass it. During the second period the K. of C. retaliated almost move for move, each man showing more aggressive tactics and preventing much sensational open work.

Keyes, right forward for Lowell, proved about the most valuable man on the team. His quick judgment, alertness, and sensational pass work put his team-mates in line for many a basket. For his ability also, to follow up his passes, dodging under or through the arms of opponents or wriggling from their grasp, he deserves the highest commendation. Many and many a time did he follow up his own passes and grab them out of the hands of the Boston men. Foley, lightweight, could easily be thrown around by the K. of C. men, but he very carefully watched his step, playing a cool and level-headed game and breaking in just at the right time to smash the tie score.

Keenan of course, was there again with his plugging and kept up his record of being the man with the largest number of baskets. McGowan was effective and fooled opponents easily, but there is something lacking in his sportsmanship which spectators can not understand. The summary:

LOWELL	PERE MARQUETTE
McGowan c	c Jennings
Keyes rf	rf McDonough
Keenan lf	lf M. McCarthy
Randall rb	rb O'Leary
Stone, Foley lb	lb McCarthy

Goals: Lowell, McGowan 1, Keyes 2, from fouls, Lowell, Keyes 2. Pere Marquette, McDonough 1, M. McCarthy 1, Jennings 3, McCarthy 2, O'Leary 1. Goals from fouls Lowell, Keyes 2. Pere Marquette, McDonough 2.

BOSTON COLLEGE TRIMS LOWELL TEXTILE

The entrance of Luke Urban, Boston College's All America football whirlwind, into Saturday evening's basketball game with Lowell Textile spelled defeat for the local aggregation, which, however, put up a stiff struggle until the final moment of play. At the end of the first half, the score stood 18 to 15, with B.C. slightly in the lead. Both teams had shown a spectacular knowledge of the game, and every point scored by either side was the result of brawn with headwork emphatically added.

The tally at the end of the contest, 33 to 22, with B.C. on the long end of the score, hardly indicated the equality of the battle. Textile was not deterred at any time by the marvelous physical condition of the Bostonians, or by the fame of Urban, or by the lead which the University Heights crew had accumulated. They waged a fierce, and at the same time heady, campaign for baskets at all times. Smith shone notably in this work, as did Carpenter, who crowded close behind in the contest for the laurels.

The second half opened with both teams keyed to fighting pitch, B.C. led off with a show of form which gave them the jump on Lowell. Then the Textiles came back with a rush which netted a crop of baskets and evoked bursts of cheers from their supporters. Again the Bostonese pushed to the fore as aggressors, and this time uncovered a surprising attack which grew more potent until they had established themselves in a position of security.

It was patent to spectators that the Textiles suffered from lack of training opportunities. The exacting curriculum had evidently rendered it impossible for them to compete in form with the superbly regimented B.C. squad. Then when Melley was taken out, and Captain Urban went into the fray, the new and fresh power acquired by their opponents made it almost a hopeless task for the local boys to acquire an edge in the scoring.

The game took place at the Lowell Textile playing surface, with Referee McIntyre officiating. The score:

BOSTON COLLEGE	LOWELL TEXTILE
E. Gallagher, Melley rf	lg Lombard
Murphy, O. Gallagher lf	rg Matthews
Moreley c	c Smith, Stevens
Melley, Urban rg	lf Carpenter
Hickey, Tarrell lg	rf Schneider, Smith

Score: Boston College 33, Lowell Textile 22. Goals from the floor: Moreley 5, Urban 4, E. Gallagher 2, Matthews, Stevens, Schneider. Goals from fouls: Hickey 3, Urban 2, Stevens 6. Time: 20-minute halves. Referee, McIntyre. Scorer, Marshall. Timer, Brown.

POLO LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pct
New Bedford	55	27	67.1
Providence	47	32	59.5
Fall River	47	35	57.3
Hartford	38	[illegible]	[illegible]
Worcester	34	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bridgeport	31	47	39.7
Lowell	[illegible]	50	35.9

SATURDAY NIGHT'S RESULTS

Providence 10, Lowell 1.
Fall River 6, Worcester 4.
New Bedford 5, Bridgeport 3.

SUNDAY NIGHT'S RESULTS

Bridgeport 5, Lowell 2 (afternoon)

BOXING
Crescent A. A., Thursday Night
Steve KENNEDY vs. Jack ROSE

POLO
HARTFORD vs. LOWELL
Crescent Rink—Tuesday Night

PROVIDENCE GAINS BY WINNING 4 STRAIGHT

While New Bedford still leads the teams in the American Roller Polo league by a good margin, Providence winning four straight games last week with the Whalers dropping two out of five, reduced the lead considerably.

The Providence team as now constituted is without a doubt one of the strongest and best balanced in the league and with a good break in luck is bound to make a big bid for the pennant. New Bedford and Fall River are also very strong combinations and the battle for leadership now appears to rest between these clubs.

Hartford continues to play very consistent polo. Davies, formerly of Lowell, is working well with the veteran Ted Lewis and the other members of the team are going along at a good clip. Worcester has a strong team, but injuries have kept Barney Doherty out of the lineup in many games. If the veteran back is unable to resume playing the team will be greatly weakened. Bridgeport with Muirhead at halfback has improved. Lowell, while a consistent loser, has been playing pretty fair polo. Ferdie Harkins never worked harder, while Capt. Frank Hardy is playing with all his might. Mallory, the new goal tender started off in old time form, but in the last few games, he has been off color. Saturday night he was twice injured and his work suffered in consequence. Fahrner and Donnelly are giving all that is in them, but yet a winning stride has not been found. One trouble with the team is that it lacks a hard hitting rush. Both Harkins and Fahrner are good floor workers, but neither hits very hard.

Lowell has but three games scheduled for this week. Tonight the team will play at Hartford, while tomorrow night Hartford will play here. The next game will be on Friday night when the climbing Gold Bugs will come here for a game. The schedule is as follows:

Monday: Lowell at Hartford, New Bedford at Providence.

Tuesday: Hartford at Lowell; Worcester at New Bedford.

Wednesday: New Bedford at Worcester, Bridgeport at Fall River, Providence at Hartford.

Thursday: Fall River at Bridgeport.

Friday: Providence at Lowell, New Bedford at Hartford, Worcester at Fall River.

Saturday: Fall River at Providence, Hartford at New Bedford, Bridgeport at Worcester.

POLO AVERAGES

The averages in the American Roller Polo league are as follows:

Goals made by: K. Williams 229, Duggan 224, Tart 206, Davies 187, Higgins 174, Pierce 174, Lewis 165, Thompson 161, Alexander 143, R. Williams 148, Harkins 58, Quigley 37, Wiley 36, Jean 77, Hardy 12, Dufresne 41, Evans 40, Griffith 34, Lyons 22, Harrold 24, Brown 16, Slater 15, Muirhead 12, Donnelly 7, Cusick 6, Morrison 6, Gardner 2, Doherty 1.

Fouls made by: Hardy 42, Dufresne 40, Donnelly 39, Jean 33, Brown 31, Duggan 16, Hart 15, Harrold 14, K. Williams 12, Cusick 12, Blount 11, Lyons 11, Griffith 11, Doherty 9, Morrison 9, Alexander 8, Gardner 7, Evans 6, Lewis 6, Harkins 5, Muirhead 4, Pierce 4, R. Williams 3, Wiley 3, Higgins 2, Jette 1, Quigley 1, Pence 1, Thompson 1.

Rushes taken by: Duggan 650, Alexander 605, Davies 433, R. Williams 320, Lewis 308, Higgins 297, K. Williams 166, Fahrner 18, Pierce 9, Quigley 2, Harkins 1.

Goals scored by teams: Fall River 411, Worcester 412, Lowell 397, New Bedford 394, Bridgeport 357, Providence 376, Hartford 328.

Goal tends' averages:

Hueffner	3007	325	92.0
Conley	3233	284	91.9
Blount	3725	327	91.9
Jette	3508	308	91.9
Mallory	229	24	90.5
Pence	4135	436	90.4
Purcell	3398	431	90.0

LOWELL POLOISTS DROP TWO GAMES

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 24.—A perfect torrent of goals went into the Lowell cage Saturday night and when play ended the score stood 10 to 1 in favor of the Gold Bugs. Mallory was twice injured and to that circumstance was attributed the merry sequence of bullseyes. A shot from Lyons' stick hit him on the knee as play began, and another caught him on the hand in the second period. The double mishap sapped his confidence. Thompson was out of the game on account of illness, and his place was taken by Kehoe. Armory hall was packed to the doors. The lineup:

LOWELL	PROVIDENCE
Fahrner, 1r	1r, Williams
Harkins, 2r	2r, Kehoe
Hardy, c	c, Brown
Donnelly, b	b, Lyons
Mallory, g	g, Conley

Summary—Score: Providence 10, Lowell 1. Rushes: Fahrner 7, Williams 7, goals, Williams 8, Kehoe 2, Harkins 8. Stops: Mallory 56, Conley 36. Fouls: Hardy, Donnelly. Referee Kilgara.

BRIDGEPORT WINS

BRIDGEPORT, Jan. 24.—The matinee polo game here today went to Bridgeport, 5 to 2, but the Lowell quintet played a great game and suffered because breaks were against them. Lowell went into the lead at the opening of the second period and Harkins unfortunately caused the score to be knotted when he accidentally kicked the pill into the Bridgeport goal. The locals then went to the front with three in a row, Fahrner and two in and out drives. The lineup:

LOWELL	BRIDGEPORT
Fahrner, 1r	1r, Williams
Harkins, 2r	2r, Quigley
Hardy, c	c, Harrold
Donnelly, b	b, Muirhead
Mallory, g	g, Pence

Summary—Score: Bridgeport 5, Lowell 2. Rushes: Williams 8, Fahrner 2. Goals: Fahrner, Hardy, Williams 2, Quigley, Harrold 2. Stops: Pence 35. Fouls: Hardy, Harrold. Referee, Kilgara.

BOXING NOTES

Chris Fleming of New York, manager of Jabez White, in a long letter to The Sun, hurls a defi at all contenders in the bantamweight division from Champion Joe Lynch down the line. He says White has met Lynch on two occasions and is matched to meet him again at St. Louis, Mo., on February 3. One of the Lynch-White bouts was fought at Boston and it went the distance to a draw. The other bout was also a draw. He concludes by stating that he would like to introduce White to Lowell fans.

Pete Hartley's victory over Frankie Britt, the other night at Providence indicates that the New York lightweight is still to be considered one of the leading lightweights. Hartley has fought in Lowell on many occasions and few boxers enjoy greater popularity here. He always works hard and, win or lose, will give those at the ringside a run for their money.

Steve Kennedy, of Lawrence, who is scheduled to meet Jack Rose, of Chicago here next Thursday night a few years ago was a participant in one of the greatest open air bouts ever seen in this vicinity. He met Joe Eagan at Spalding park and the battle was a thriller from bell to bell. If Steve can show some of the class he displayed then next Thursday Jack Rose is in for a merry setto.

Water containing radioactive compounds is used as a curative agent for certain illnesses.

BROUGHT $90 AT AUCTION IS WORTH $30,000

Word comes from Cleveland that Capt. David Straw has turned down an offer of $30,000 for the sensational performer, Prince Loree, 2.03¼, trotting, 2.00 pacing.

While the offer was undoubtedly made in good faith by some one seeking a stake pacer for Grand Circuit racing, there never was a chance of the little gelding changing owners. The aged Cleveland turfman does not think of his horses with money in mind and as long as he lives the two-gaited champion will remain his property.

Prince Loree is not a "morning glory." He won the Transylvania two years ago and carries a winning race record of 2.03¼ as a trotter. Last season Mike McDevitt put him to pacing and in the fall he took a time mark of 2.00.

This gives him the edge so far as demonstrated speed is concerned on any other pacer eligible to the 1921 stakes. Naturally he is looked at with longing eyes by men who race on the Grand Circuit.

Once Owned by Walter Cox

Prince Loree's career has been most unusual. As a 2-year-old in 1913, the son of Prince McKinney and Deloree, 2.09½, went to the New York midwinter sale and was bought by Walter Cox. Brushed over the ice at Granite state the colt could fly, but when it came time to show on the clay he could do little.

Frank Monahan took him out on the state road and over that surface he was a real trotter.

These exhibitions did not enthuse Cox, who said "the place for speed is where they pay for it."

Prince Loree, however, made the ship West and when the Pastime Stable made the trade for Lee Axworthy, the Prince passed into Billy Andrews' hands. Billy finally passed him up and he went at auction for $90.

Capt. Shaw gave the buyer $20 profit and the new champion became a matinee performer. He did well at racing for ribbons and McDevitt, in 1918, took him down the Big Line.

For a trotter with his whizz he did not win many races, but on the days when he took it into his head to go he was mighty hard to handle.

How he will race as a pacer will not be known until the sports at North Randall early in July.

"Ted" Horan says, "They can't give him any races because he does not pace, he flies."

Stallion Stake For Foals of 1921

The plans decided on by the Trotting Horse Breeders of New England, Inc., for the stallion stake for foals of 1921, except for a few minor changes, are the same as were outlined for foals of 1920. In the 2-year-old races to take place in 1923 distance will be waived and a payment to start in the first division will entitle one to start in the second, if for any reason they did not start in the former, without any further payment. This would apply to 2-year-old and 3-year-old races in 1923 and 1924.

The secretary and treasurer reports that in the first stake for foals of 1920 33 stallions were nominated and that 77 mare owners had made first payment and 54 second payment, making a total to date of $1084.

C. W. Lassell has been re-elected president of the association and C. H. Traiser secretary and treasurer.

LOWELL DEFEATS FITCHBURG

The Lowell high school basketball team registered its fifth consecutive victory Friday night when it defeated Fitchburg high school in their own school by the score of 25 to 19.

The lineup and score:

LOWELL	FITCHBURG
B. McAdams, rf	lb, Mulkeen
Ordway, lf	rb, Cote
Brockunler, c	c, Shea
Hunt, rb	lf, Polson
Davis, lb	rf, Hobbs

Individual baskets: From the floor—Ordway 4, Brockunler 2, Hunt 3, Shea 6, Cote 1; on fouls, Ordway 7, Holk 5. Time 2 20 minute, halves; scorer, O'Hare; timer, Chalmers; referee, Mullaney; attendance, 400.

MARANVILLE TRADED

Goes to Pirates for Three Players

BOSTON, Jan? 24—"Rabbit" Maranville was more nearly reconciled today to his passing from the Boston Braves, with whom he had won fame as a shortstop to the Pittsburg Pirates to whom he was traded last night for three other players

"While I'd rather remain in Boston I'll be tickled to death to go to Pittsburg if things are fixed up as satisfactorily by both clubs" said the "Rabbit" at his home in Springfield today, in discussing the deal.

Outfielders Bill Southworth and Fred Nicholson and Infielder Walter Barbare are the players who are to come here in exchange for Maranville.

POP CONCERT PROGRAM

The following program will be given at the pop concert to be held this evening under the auspices of the Lowell Boston college club in Associate hall. The affair promises to be in a class by itself among the events of the season:

Overture, "Stradella" ....Flotow
Orchestra

Tarentella,
Misses Buswell, Martin, Morris and Philbrook

Amaryllis,
Miss Kundin

Spring
Misses Campbell and La Cross

Pas Seul
Miss Deery

Danse Vivante
Misses Buswell and Morris

Blue Danube Waltz
Misses Buswell, Campbell, Christopher, Cross, R. Cross, Deery, Fay, Gilman, Kundin, La Cross, Martin, Pentz, Philbrook, Morris, Verrill

Selections from "Carmen" ....Bizet
Orchestra

The concert will start at 8.15 sharp and at the close of the concert at 9, the floor will be open for general dancing without intermission until midnight. The general public is invited and tickets will be on sale as usual at the box office.

PLAN COSTUME PARTY

A very novel costume party or Mardi Gras will be staged in Lincoln hall on the evening of Feb. 8, the night before Lent, by the League of Catholic Women. The last dancing party staged in Colonial hall under the auspices of the league was so successful that by repeated requests of members and others who took part, it has been decided to offer another party. Lincoln hall has been chosen for the affair because it is much larger than Colonial hall, and will be much more adequate for the large crowd expected to attend.

Brass and bronze foundries are said to have been in operation in Korea at the beginning of the Christian era.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of David Borstein, late of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

ESSIE BORNSTEIN, Administratrix.
184 Harvard st., Lowell.
January 12, 1921.

LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of John P. Hoffman, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Raymond P. Hoffman, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-sixth day of January, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

j14-17-24

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Sarah J. Hoffman, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Raymond P. Hoffman of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-sixth day of January, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

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Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

j14-17-24

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:—
Middlesex, ss.

At a Probate Court holden at Cambridge in and for said County of Middlesex, on the eleventh day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

On the petition of Aaron Paterlosky, of Lowell, in said County, praying that his name may be changed to that of Aaron Lasky, public notice having been given, according to the order of Court, that all persons might appear and show cause, if any they had, why the same should not be granted, and it appearing that the reason given therefor is sufficient, and consistent with the public interest, and being satisfactory to the Court, and no objection being made:

It is decreed that his name be changed, as prayed for, to that of Aaron Lasky, which name he shall hereafter bear, and which shall be his legal name, and that he give public notice of said change by publishing this decree once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, and make return to this Court under oath that such notice has been given.

GEORGE F. LAWTON,
Judge of Probate Court.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Elizabeth Allen, late of Lebanon, in the County of Grafton and State of New Hampshire, deceased, or in the personal property hereinafter described and to the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation of said Commonwealth.

Whereas, Fred A. Jones appointed administrator of the estate of said deceased, by the Probate Court for the County of Grafton in the State of New Hampshire, has presented to said Court his petition representing that as such administrator he is entitled to certain personal property situated in said Commonwealth, to wit:

A deposit in the Old Lowell National Bank, Book No. 2429, and a deposit in the City Institution for Savings, Book No. 57726, and praying that he may be licensed to receive or to sell by public or private sale on such terms and to such person or persons as he shall think fit—or otherwise to dispose of, and to transfer and convey such estate.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the 26th day of January, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by delivering a copy of said citation to the Commissioner for Corporations and Taxation of said Commonwealth fourteen days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this tenth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

j12-15-24

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:—
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of James H. Mulrenin, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Arthur F. Mulrenin of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the fifteenth day of February, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

F. M. ESTY, Register.
j17-24-29 Frank J. Garvey, Atty.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:—
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Daniel Cleary, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased:

Whereas, James H. Cleary, the executor of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the twenty-eighth day of January, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executor is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

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FIVE ROOMS to let, bath, electricity, Call 669 Varnum ave near Car. Call Mike John, 171 Cushing st.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Margaret M. Golden, otherwise known as Margaret M. Fenton, of Richmond, in the State of Maine, minor:

Whereas, Richard B. Walsh, the guardian of said ward, has presented for allowance, his substituted first and final account as guardian upon the estate of said ward.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the twenty-eighth day of January, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said guardian is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

j13-10-24

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:—
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Joseph Smith, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Solomon Baker, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the second day of February, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

j12-24-31

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:—
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the devisees under the will and all other persons interested in the estate of Daniel Cleary, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas James H. Cleary, executor of the will of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell at public auction the whole of a parcel of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the twenty-eighth day of January, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days, at least, before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

According to a table compiled by the treasury department a dollar note lives [illegible] while a silver certificate stays in circulation one year.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

26,494 FEET OF LAND on Bridge st., Dracut Centre, next lot to Grange hall, for sale. Inquire 65 Fifth st. Phone 5587-R.

6-ROOM COTTAGE for sale near W. Fourth street, excellent repair, newly painted, large yard, $300 cash, easy terms. Price $1650. D. F. Leary, Hildreth bldg.

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SPECIAL NOTICE

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DANCING—Mr. [illegible] Stanton's dancing school at Merrimack hall, 222 Merrimack street, is now open every Thursday. Adults in ball room dancing, 8 to 10.45 p. m. Children's classes dancing, 4.15 to 6 p. m. Private lessons, 6 to 8.

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To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Fr. Boston Arr.
5.20	6.45	2.30	3.17
6.23	7.26	6.01	7.05
6.44	7.34	7.35	[illegible]
6.51	[illegible]	n8.15	9.11
l.6.30	7.53	9.00	[illegible]
7.12	[illegible]	10.00	[illegible]
7.56	8.57	11.30	[illegible]
9.01	9.42	12.30	1.11
10.05	11.05	b1.05	2.03
11.13	11.56	2.15	3.15
12.10	1.03	2.30	3.41
1.47	2.35	4.01	4.42
2.45	3.42	4.03	[illegible]
b3.40	4.12	5.00	5.45
4.00	4.15	b5.21	6.42
4.12	5.25	[illegible]	6.35
5.25	[illegible]	b5.50	7.13
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
b6.05	[illegible]	8.00	9.11
6.25	7.10	8.50	9.11
8.26	9.10	10.30	11.10
9.55	10.41	11.30	12.05

Portland Division

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Fr. Boston Arr.
6.55	7.56	z5.55	8.21
8.54	12.18	10.05	11.53
5.14pm	5.58	3.25	4.46
7.12	8.25	5.14	6.12
10.50	[illegible]	6.55	8.13
		9.53	11.13

Sunday Trains Portland Division

12.07	1.26	3.23	4.43
3.00	[illegible]	5.50	6.45
5.28	7.12	8.45	9.50
8.25	9.25		

Sunday Trains Southern Division

6.44	7.30	8.15	8.55
[illegible]	7.58	10.09	10.53
[illegible]	[illegible]	11.30	12.09
9.12	10.11	1.00	2.01
11.00	11.12	5.30	6.24
2.52	3.35	7.25	8.23
5.05	6.00	8.00	8.41
6.36	[illegible]	8.50	[illegible]
8.25	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
8.41	9.56	10.45	12.01
9.50	10.18		

b via Bedford; a via Salem Jct; z via Wilmington Jct. n not holidays. h Sat. only.

U. S. FIRE DAMAGE IN 4 YEARS $1,416,375,000

NEW YORK, Jan. 24—Property worth $1,416,375,000, the equivalent of 283,275 new houses at $5000 each, or more than enough to shelter the population of a state as large as Connecticut, was destroyed by fire in the United States in the period from 1915 to 1919, as shown by the quinquennial analysis of 2,500,000 adjustments made by the National Board of Fire Underwriters.

Electricity, the chief cause of the fire loss, led with a total of $84,086,471 for the five years. Matches and smoking stood second with $73,474,348. Incendiarism contributed $21,556,965.

New York suffered the greatest loss the five year total being $140,305,821 or nearly 10 per cent of the whole. Pennsylvania was second with $78,338,666; Illinois third with $73,916,503; New Jersey fourth with $63,697,525 and Massachusetts fifth with $53,677,087.

DEATHS

SADLIER—Mary Eileen Sadlier, died yesterday at the home of her father, William Sadlier, 298 Moore street, aged 6 years, 3 months and 10 days. Besides her father, she leaves one sister, Kathleen, and a brother, William Francis Sadlier, Jr. Owing to the cause of death, the funeral took place yesterday afternoon and burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

KENNEDY—Mrs. Josephine B. Kennedy died yesterday at her home, 31 Arlington street. She is survived by three children, Mrs. William A. Davis of Woburn, Miss Josephine A. Kennedy of this city and John B. Kennedy of Dunstable; also four grandchildren.

EARLY—Arthur W. Early, died Saturday at his home, 123 Shaw street. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Early and one daughter, Mrs. Flora V. Sloper of Pittsfield, Mass. He was a member and past regent of Highland council, 870, Royal Arcanum. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker George W. Healey, 79 Branch street.

LEE—Mrs. Maria Lee, widow of Michael Lee, died Saturday afternoon at her home, 362 Broadway. She leaves five daughters, Mrs. Thomas Heslin in Ireland, Dr. Mary Lee Harsent of Melbourne, Australia, Mrs. Charles Egan, Mrs. Frank Sabourin and Miss Margaret Lee, the latter three of Lowell; two sons, Michael J. and Thomas J. Lee, both of Lowell, and one brother, James Moran, in Ireland. Deceased was a sister of the late Rev. Fr. P. Moran of Melbourne, Australia.

SANBORN—Harry C. Sanborn of 28 Greenleaf street, Malden, died Jan. 20, at the Lowell General hospital, after an illness of several weeks, aged 43 years. Mr. Sanborn was the son of Charles H. and the late Emma J. Sanborn and was born in Hyde Park. He was educated in the public schools of Portland and Malden and was a graduate of the high school of Malden in 1896. He went to Malden when 13 years of age and made a host of friends in that city. For many years he held an important position with the Lowell Gas Light Co. Mr. Sanborn was a member of the Universalist church and for some time was connected with the choir and also served as an usher.

KEARNEY—James Kearney, infant son of James and Elizabeth (Ward) Kearney, died last evening at the home of his parents, 40 Perry street, aged 1 months and 7 days. Besides his parents, he leaves one sister, Catherine Kearney.

WELSH—Mrs. Annie Welsh died Saturday afternoon at her home, 2 Stanley avenue, at the age of 60 years. She is survived by her husband, Thos. Welsh of this city; three sons, Rev. John Welsh of Jonesboro, Ind., Charles and Thomas H. Welsh of this city; three daughters, Mrs. Annie Lewis of Pelham, N. H., Mrs. Harry C. Randall and Mrs. Jennie Paul of this city; three brothers and one sister living in Ireland; also 10 grandchildren and one great-granddaughter. Mrs. Welsh had resided in this city for the past 39 years.

CAREY—Mary Carey, a well known resident of this city, died Saturday at the Chelmsford Street hospital after a brief illness, aged 70 years. She leaves one nephew, John Carey of Hartford, Conn. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker William A. Mack, 70-76 Gorham st.

McQUAIDE—Helen A. McQuaide, daughter of Walter H. and Elizabeth McQuaide, died Saturday evening at the home of her parents, 83 Aberdeen street, after a short illness, at the age of 3 years, 6 months, 3 days. She is survived by her parents, and two sisters, Marion and Edythe McQuaide of this city.

COX—Mrs. Mary Cox, widow of Jas. Cox, died last evening at her home, 534 East Merrimack street. She is survived by two daughters, Misses Mary J. and Annie L. Cox, and three sons, William H. and Terence J., of this city, and Patrick J. Cox of Woonsocket, R. I.

MOREL—Annette, aged 26 days, infant daughter of George and Yvonne Morel, died yesterday at the home of her parents, 251 Cheever street. Burial took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock, in St. Joseph's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers Amedee Archambault and Sons.

SAMARIS—Stratis, aged 1 month and 27 days, infant son of John and Rena Samaris, died this morning at the home of his parents, 50 Common street. Burial took place this afternoon in Westlawn cemetery, after service had been held at the Holy Trinity Greek church. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault and Sons.

IN MEMORIAM, 1917-1921

In loving remembrance of James Ashley, who died on the 24th of January, 1917. Masses for perpetuity at Roxbury Mission church and St. Joseph's Orphan's Home, N. J.

The sunshine of my once happy home
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But thou, O Lord, has sent this cross,
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SUN BREVITIES

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Born Jan. 22, at the Harley hospital, Boston, a son, Richard Paul, to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Godfrey Hudson of Dorchester. Mrs. Hudson was formerly Ethel Louise Richardson of North Chelmsford.

Miss Catherine Cronin, formerly director of the Girls' Community Service club in the Runels building, extends her regards to all her friends in this city through Miss Louise French, of National Community Service, who is now in Lowell in connection with the play school lectures to be given all this week in high school hall. Miss Cronin recently attended a convention in Chicago of Community Service workers, at which she met Miss French, just before the latter left for this city. Miss Cronin will undoubtedly become a specialist in community recreation, according to Miss French, and in that capacity may at some time have the opportunity of visiting Lowell.

Irene Hugan, Frances Leggal, Alice Dacey, wards of Ko-Ko, Mikado.—Adv.

FUNERAL NOTICES

COX—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Cox will take place Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 534 East Merrimack street. At 9 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at the Immaculate Conception church. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Motor cortege. The funeral will be under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

LEE—Funeral of Mrs. Maria Lee will take place Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 362 Broadway. A funeral high mass will be celebrated at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. John F. Rogers, undertaker.

WELSH—Died in this city, Jan. 22, at her home, 2 Stanley avenue, Mrs. Annie Welsh, aged 60 years. Funeral services will be held at her home on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited. Burial private. Kindly omit flowers. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

KENNEDY—Died Jan. 22rd, in this city, Mrs. Josephine B. Kennedy, at her home, 31 Arlington street. Funeral services will be held at 31 Arlington street, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

EARLY—Died Jan. 22nd, in this city, Arthur W. Early. Funeral services will be held at the rooms of Undertaker George W. Healey, 79 Branch street, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial private.

WOODS—The funeral of Mr. Cornelius Woods will take place Tuesday morning at 8.30 o'clock from the undertaking rooms of James W. McKenna, 419 Bridge street. High mass of requiem at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

FUNERALS

CLIFFORD—The body of Mrs. Nettie Clifford, who died at the Blanchard hospital, Dracut, last Thursday, was forwarded Saturday to her home in Auburn, N. Y., where services will be held and burial take place. The local arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

RILEY—The funeral of Cornelius Riley, son of Patrick and Mary (Dee) Riley, took place Saturday afternoon from the home of his parents, 57 Agawam street and was largely attended. At the Sacred Heart church services were conducted by the pastor, Rev. John P. Flynn, O.M.I. There were numerous flowers. The bearers were Francis Dugan, David and Joseph Murphy, George Neville, James Linehan and William Kerwin. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay.

OLIVER—The funeral of Margaret Oliver took place from the home of her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Bugbee, 339 Walker street, Saturday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Arthur S. Beale, pastor of the Highland Congregational church. Appropriate selections were sung by Miss Hazel F. Tuthill. The bearers were Harry S. Caverhill, Frederick W. Tilton, Henry Cote and Oliver M. Black. Burial was in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

KIMBALL—The funeral services of Horatio G. Kimball were held at the graveside in Lowell cemetery Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. Appleton Grannis rector of St. Anne's Episcopal church officiated. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

McQUAIDE—The funeral of Helen A. McQuaide took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents 83 Aberdeen street at 12.30 o'clock. Owing to a contagious disease the funeral was strictly private. Burial took place in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery where services were conducted by Rev. John L. Cairns pastor of St. Paul's M. E. church. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

CHAGNON—The funeral services of Charles H. Chagnon were held yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock at Saunders' funeral home 217 Appleton st. and were largely attended. Rev. Ferdinand A. Perron pastor of the French Baptist church officiated. The bearers were Armand Chapdelaine Alonzo L. Chapdelaine Robert Chenevert and Fernando Chapdelaine. Burial took place in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery where the committal service was read by Rev. Mr. Perron.

McDERMOTT—The funeral of Miss Kate McDermott took place Saturday afternoon from the rooms of Undertakers Jas. F. O'Donnell & Sons. Burial was in the family lot in St Patrick's cemetery where the committal prayers were recited by Rev. Francis L. Keenan.

CUDWORTH—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Cudworth took place Saturday afternoon from her home 64 Grand street. Services were held at the home by Rev. N. W. Matthews pastor of the Gorham Street F. M. church. Miss Margaret Knowles sang "I Love to Hear My Saviour's Voice" and "Lead Kindly Light." The bearers were Samuel Scott, William Scott, Michael Markham John J. Regan William Harrigan and William Harris. Burial was in Westlawn cemetery where the committal services were read by Rev. N. W. Matthews. The funeral was in charge of Undertakers C. H. Molloy's Sons.

COUGHLIN—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Coughlin took place at 8 o'clock this morning from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Nugent, 36 Wilson street, North Billerica. A funeral high mass was celebrated by Rev. John N. Cunningham, at St. Andrew's church, North Billerica. The choir sang the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by John Fairbrother and James Gannon. Miss Etta Hoar was the organist. The bearers were Leo Coughlin, James Coughlin, Arthur and Louis Mahoney, John Minihan, Walter Shipsey. Rev. Fr. Finnick, of Marlboro, was in the sanctuary. Burial took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. David J. Murphy assisted by Rev. Fr. Finnick. Funeral in charge of Undertaker John F. Rogers.

DUVAL—The funeral of Mrs. Dina Duval took place this morning from the home of her daugater, Mrs. J. B. Dubreuil, 5 Grand street. High mass of requiem was celebrated at Notre Dame de Lourdes' church at 9 o'clock by Rev. J. B. A. Barette, O.M.I. The choir, under the direction of Severin Belanger rendered the Gregorian chant, Miss Bella Lavigne presiding at the organ. The bearers were Joseph and Arthur Jeannotte, Albert and Edmond Menard. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Leon Lamothe, O.M.I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

LONG—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Tobin Long took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from her home, 485 Parker street and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Margaret's church where, at 9 o'clock, a mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Stephen Murray. The choir, under the direction of Mr. Frank McCarthy, rendered the Gregorian chant, the solos in the mass being sustained by Miss Catherine V. Hennessey and Mr. McCarthy, Mr. William P. McCarthy presiding at the organ. There was a profusion of floral and spiritual offerings. The bearers were Messrs. Joseph Tobin, Francis X. Tobin, Enoch N. Grinnell and Walter Cox. The burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Fr. Murray. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell and Sons.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Alfred Duval, a second hand in the Tremont & Suffolk hosiery and Mrs. Rose Anne (Foucher) Robillard were married Saturday evening at St. Joseph's rectory, the ceremony being performed at 5.45 o'clock by Rev. L. A. Nolin, O.M.I. The bride wore a gray traveling suit with a black and silver hat, and carried a cluster of violets. She was attended by her brother, Mr. Narcisse Foucher, while the groom's witness was Mr. Hubert Gregoire. At the close of the ceremony a wedding supper was served at the home of the bride, 728 Moody street, where a reception was held later. Mr. and Mrs. Duval will make their home at 728 Moody street.

REQUIEM MASSES

NEWHALL—There will be an anniversary mass Thursday morning at 7.00 o'clock at St. Columba's church for John Newhall.

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Report 25 Persons Killed and 50 Injured in Gasolene Explosion at Memphis, Tenn.

ROW OF HOUSES BLOWN UP

Explosion of Tank Car of Gasoline Causes Death and Destruction at Memphis

Windows Within Radius of 15 Blocks Shattered—City Rocked

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 24.—At least 25 persons, most of them negroes, were killed according to police estimates, and 50 or more injured by an explosion here today of a tank car of gasoline. The explosion destroyed a row of frame dwellings at Front and Loony streets, shattered windows within a radius of 15 blocks and shook the entire north end of the city.

A flying spark from the chisel of a workman caulking the car is supposed to have caused the explosion which occurred at Main street and Mill avenue, in the center of a densely populated part of the city, a short distance from a gas plant endangered by the fire.

Twenty nearby frame houses were splintered by the force of the explosion and set afire. Two of the three negro workmen caulking the car were killed while the third escaped without injury.

Every ambulance in the city was rushed to the scene and volunteer rescue parties were formed to aid the police in removing the dead and injured. The fire was checked before it spread beyond the dwellings in the immediate vicinity of the blast.

STORE ENTERED

Thieves Make Haul at Aiken Drug Company's Store

Rare perfumes, valuable amber smoking articles, manicure sets, and other choice druggists' supplies were taken by thieves who, sometime between Saturday evening and Sunday morning, broke into the store of the Aiken Drug Company, located at the corner of Aiken and Cheever streets. Other goods stolen included cigars, cigarets, and tobacco, embroidered linen, safety razors, syrup for the soda fountain, and a $35 revolver. The loss is estimated by officials of the firm as being between $200 and $300, although the exact amount has not yet been ascertained.

Adolph E. Toupin, treasurer of the concern, locked the store at 10.40 o'clock Saturday evening, and arriving on the premises Sunday at 7 a.m. found that the place had been ransacked. Entrance was gained through a side door at 101 Cheever street. This had seemingly been left open. Three other doors were broken open, apparently with the aid of a burglar's kit, for holes had been bored in the panels by an augur.

The sole clue left by the thieves consists in the familiarity which they displayed in regard to the location of the most costly articles in stock.

A link of the Lincoln highway in Utah is built entirely of decayed salt from the Great Salt Lake.

REBUILDING OF OLD RESIDENCES

Nesmith Street Properties To Be Turned Into Up-to-Minute Apartment Houses

Cost of Extensive Alterations Is Expected To Be In Excess of $40,000

Work has been started on two of the most important housing development propositions that have been undertaken in Lowell in a long time. When the work has been completed two residences in Nesmith street that have been the centres of much social life in the past will have been transformed into up-to-the-minute apartment houses. The estimated cost of the improvements is $40,000.

One of the residences, on which work is now going forward, is at 252 Nesmith street, and was occupied for

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NO KICKS, SAYS MURPHY

Denies Central St. Merchants Have Made Complaints—Wants New Building

Street Commissioner Dennis J. Murphy emphatically denied today that any complaint had ever been made to him regarding the untidiness of Central street by owners or occupiers of property along the thoroughfare. He said that his first information that persons renting stores along the street were dissatisfied with conditions had come to him through the columns of The Sun.

The accumulation of dirt in the street has been a matter that has troubled the department for a long time, Mr. Murphy asserted. He said that the wind sweeps through the street in such a way that a pocket is created just below the New American house, and that litter from a wide radius finds lodgment here. He said that no amount of vigilance could prevent dust being swirled about in this pocket when the wind blows, and that some of this is bound to get into the stores and annoy the owners.

Mr. Murphy asserted that the city is losing the use of the two new mechanical sweepers, purchased by the city a short time ago, because they cannot be stored in a heated building. He said that the sweepers would give good service at this time, but that, as they would have to be stored in an open shed, several hours' work would be required every day in getting the machines ready for use and in draining the radiators after they had been out on the street. The machines cost the city $10,500.

The commissioner asserted that the only place available for storing the machines is the open shed at the city stables. In this same building, exposed more or less to the weather, are four steam rollers that cost the city $7500 each.

Mr. Murphy stated that he intends to attempt to have Public Buildings Commissioner George F. Marchand provide a suitable storage building at the stables. He thinks that part of the material in the present building could be utilized in the erection of a new structure, the cost of which he believes should not exceed $15,000. Such a building as he would like to see built would be provided with steam-heating apparatus so that the sweeping machines could be used in winter. He would also like to see it of sufficient size and provided with suitable apparatus for making repairs in winter and thus furnish continuous employment during the cold weather for a number of men.

TWO NEGROES SHOT TO DEATH

Lynchings Follow Pitched Battle Between Negroes and Whites at Norlina, N.C.

Prisoners Taken From Jail and Riddled With Bullets—Troops Called

WARRENTON, N. C., Jan. 24.—This little town, the scene of the lynching of two negroes by a mob of masked men, and the source of wild rumors of clashes and impending clashes between armed blacks and whites was restored to quiet today. A company of home guards ordered out by Gov. Morrison too late to prevent the lynching, was on duty and further trouble was not anticipated.

Mob Siezes Prisoners

The lynching shortly after midnight was the culmination of several days of ill-feeling between negroes and whites of Norlina, which reached a climax yesterday in a pitched gun battle there in which five white men and three negroes were wounded. Thirteen negroes were arrested and brought to the jail at the county seat here. Last night a mob numbering about 150 surrounded the jail, quickly overpowered John Green, the negro jailer, under threat of death; took Alfred Williams and Plummer Bullock, two of the prisoners, a mile outside of town and riddled them with bullets as they stood by the roadside.

Opened Fire on Whites

Bullock was said to have instigated the clash at Norlina after a dispute with a grocery man over the purchase of ten cents worth of apples. Williams was said to have been one of the leaders in the clash. The negroes, it was charged, gathered at the Norlin railway depot Sunday morning and opened fire on the whites. The mob in its invasion of the jail did not molest the other 11 prisoners.

Masked Men Halt Sheriff

When the mob gathered Sheriff R. E. Davis, who lives some distance out in the country, was notified. He started to town but was fired upon and stopped by masked men not far from the jail. The men explained they were guarding the jail from attack by would-be lynchers and said they had fired thinking the sheriff one of the attackers. When Davis finally reached the jail, Williams and Bullock had been taken away.

Last night there were rumors the negroes in this section were arming and preparing to attack and that the whites had been fired at from ambush but no serious clashes were reported other than at Norlina.

Norlina and Warrenton are only a few miles apart.

TALK MAY BE MEASURED

Telephone Company May Place Meters on All The Business Lines

In place of the unlimited use of the special line telephones in Lowell a measured service will probably be introduced, according to a statement coming from the office of the New England Telephone & Telegraph Co. Under the proposed system every conversation held over the phone by a business house will be automatically

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LARGE AUDIENCE HEARD PEP TALK

Associate Hall Crowded at League of Catholic Women Event

Peter W. Collins, K. of C. Lecturer Delivered Varied Discourse on His Work

Under the auspices of the League of Catholic Women, a vast audience listened to a very interesting discourse by Mr. Peter W. Collins, reconstruction lecturer for the Knights of Columbus at Associate hall yesterday afternoon. His subject was "Meeting a Million Men," but he felt it a delicate matter to address nearly a million women on such a subject without criticism.

Mr. Collins has traveled all over the United States and Canada in the last twelve years and the pith of his lecture was based on his experiences in addressing millions of people, a large proportion of whom was non-Catholic.

The local council of the K. of C. were the invited guests of the League of Catholic Women. Every available seat on the main floor and in the gallery was taken while hundreds had to

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THAT $260,000 VOUCHER

Auditor Morse Corroborates Testimony of Col. Abadie at Hearing

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Perley Morse, whose accounting firm audited the books of the Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corp. today appeared before the Walsh congressional committee and corroborated testimony of Col. E. H. Abadie, former general comptroller, concerning discovery of a voucher for $260,000 alleged to cover personal expenses of Charles M. Schwab for October, 1918.

Mr. Morse said he told Col. Abadie, under whose direction the audit was carried out, of the discovery of the voucher by one of his accountants and of the existence of other vouchers. One of these was for $18,000 paid to Paul D. Cravath, attorney for the Bethlehem Co., and was charged to overhead, he said.

VOTE ON DAYLIGHT SAVING QUESTION

Secretary Manager George F. Wells of the local chamber of commerce, has prepared the daylight saving referendum circular which is to be mailed to all members of the chamber either on Tuesday or Wednesday. After voting for or against the daylight saving proposition set forth in the referendum, the members will be requested to return the bulletins to the chamber before a certain date, to be announced later.

The referendum was made out really at the request of the Boston chamber of commerce because a bill has been introduced in the legislature to repeal the daylight saving law which was passed last year. The questions which the members are asked to answer are: 1. Should the chamber, in your opinion, urge the adoption of daylight saving in the states in the Eastern Standard time zone (New England, New York, West Virginia and the Atlantic coast states as far south as Georgia)? 2. Are you in favor of daylight saving under substantially the same conditions which existed last summer in case its further extension is at present found impossible?

TWO BOYS SHOT BY BRITISH TROOPS

CORK, Jan. 24.—Two boys were wounded, one of whom later died, when troops enforcing the curfew ordinance fired at some persons in the vicinity of Shandon street last evening, presumably because they failed to halt when challenged.

The curfew, according to the new arrangements, began at 8 p. m.

Allied Leaders Meet in Most Important Session Since Signing of Treaty of Versailles

BOMBED OUT OF STRONGHOLDS

Complete Destruction of Power of Mad Mullah, Native Ruler of Somaliland

Peace Prevails in African Possession for the First Time in 34 Years

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Complete destruction of the power of Mad Mullah, native rules of Somaliland, Africa, and for 34 years a problem to British authorities, was accomplished within three weeks' time by less than 200 airmen and 11 fighting planes, according to an official report on the operation just received here. Bombed out of their strongholds, the natives were pursued and all the leaders except Mullah captured or killed.

The air expedition was sent out in 1919, but details were kept secret. It was the last of many punitive forces sent to Somaliland where continual uprisings have involved the British in military operations at frequent intervals.

The situation was so serious in 1919, that some military action was necessary, but the government hesitated because of the cost estimated at $25,000,000 of despatching 5000 troops to re-establish order. In the emergency the air force was called upon and 32 officers and 161 enlisted men in addition to the medical detachment set out. An advance party masquerading as engineers in search of oil wells, landed and set up a base. Then the machines appeared and for a week Mad Mullah's stronghold in the interior was bombed and shot up while the native camel corps co-operated, holding a line about the scene. The Mullah finally broke through this line, heading south and the planes pursued for two weeks more, bombing and shooting up the fleeing natives, scattering their stock and utterly destroying the power of the rebel leaders. Thus the empire for the first time in 34 years, was left in peaceful possession of the country. Two casualties in the camel corps were the only British losses.

Plants for the manufacture of gas from peat are in operation in Germany, England, Ireland, Sweden and Italy.

THREE MURDER TRIALS IN R. I.

Two Men and One Woman Faced Courts Today on Charges of Murder

Mary Fellows Accused of Killing Husband — Sailor Charged With Killing Girl

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 24.—Three persons in different sections of Rhode Island today faced courts on charges of murder. In the eighth district court at Thornton, Mary J. Fellows was given a preliminary trial on the charge of killing her former husband, Rufus J. Fellows, an inn-keeper. She was found probably guilty and held without bail for the March grand jury.

In the superior court in this city, Rolf G. Adams, a former sailor, went on trial for the alleged murder of Miss Rose V. McKenna, of this city on Sept. 20 while at the Newport superior court the trial opened of Allen W. Littlefield, accused of the murder at Block Island, last fall, of Leon A. Tabbutt.

Miss McKenna was killed and her fiance critically wounded in East Providence last fall when a masked man walked up to an automobile in which they were sitting and opened fire with a revolver. Adams was arrested some time later and, according to the police, confessed to the shooting.

FINDS GETTING SKATING PLACES SLOW WORK

Superintendent of Parks John J. Kernan is not finding the owners of some of the undeveloped real estate in Lowell very enthusiastic over permitting the use of their property for the purpose of flooding and transforming into skating areas.

The owners of one estate upon which he had fixed his eye as being especially desirable for skating purposes turned down his request this morning with the statement that the estate had been cut up into house lots and that stakes had been driven into the ground to designate the different lots. The owners asserted their belief that if children visited the property in considerable numbers they would be likely to pull up these stakes.

The suggestion had been made to Mr. Kernan that the old fair grounds should be flooded, but he says that experience has demonstrated that the soil there is so sandy that it would be very difficult to form a pool that would last long enough to freeze over.

The park commision hopes, however, to soon start flooding Washington park and a portion of the North common. The board is only waiting for permision from Water Commissioner John F. Salmon to use the city's water before opening the hydrants. The Sander's estate trustees have given permission for the use of Washington park.

The commissioner has also promised to provide the kids of Pawtucketville with a place to skate on Woodward avenue at the head of Orchard street. It is now being flooded.

Each of the areas named will give about an acre of skating space.

$10,000 FIRE LOSS AT EXETER, N. H.

EXETER, N. H., Jan. 24.—The Wetherill block, one of the principal business buildings of the town, was partly destroyed by fire today. B. C. Hean's drugstore on the street floor was burned out and community rooms and offices above, were damaged. The loss was about $10,000. An overheated furnace was believed to have been the cause.

A moving picture device is now being used to teach people dancing step by step.

REPARATIONS ISSUE TAKEN UP

Representatives of Great Britain, France, Italy, Japan and Belgium Meet at Paris

Expect to Settle Questions Long Threatening Serious Complications

Premier Briand Opens Session With Address of Welcome—Foch Heard

PARIS, Jan. 24.—Representatives of Great Britain, France, Italy, Belgium and Japan gathered here today for a conference which seemed second in importance only to that preceding the signing of the treaty of Versailles. The principal figures of the meeting were David Lloyd George, British prime minister, and Aristide Briand, who last week assumed the post of president of the council of the French republic. About these men the negotiations are expected to revolve, and it is believed that when the conference adjourns, the allied world will have settled questions long pending and long threatening serious complications, not only between ally and enemy countries, but between the governments which fought side by side against the central empires from 1914 to 1918.

Important Problems

In importance these subjects ranked as follows:

Reparations, disarmament of Germany, enforcement or alteration of the treaty with Turkey, relief for Austria and policies to be pursued in dealing with Russia. All of them were questions on which the different participant nations were more or less divided, and the settlement of which was viewed with great concern.

Arrangements for the first session contemplated discussion of German disarmament by allied military experts who are understood to have agreed on a solution which would grant a short period of grace to Germany in which to execute the engagements she made at the Spa conference. These agreements call for the demobilization and disarmament of armed forces under the surveillance of an inter-allied control commission and it was believed the conference would not be called upon to do more

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HIGH SCHOOL DANCES

School Head Does Not Agree With All Minister Has To Say

Principal Henry H. Harris, of the local high school, said this morning that he did not wish to take issue with the statements made by Rev. Edward Babcock, pastor of the First Baptist church last night's services. Rev. Mr. Babcock condemned the practices of holding dances for high school students either in the name of the school or some school organization. He protested against the annual ball of the high school officers, the senior class social, recess dances and all evening dancing parties on grounds of morality, economy and waste of mental energy.

Mr. Harris said that Rev. Mr. Babcock's sermon struck many true conditions of the present status of dancing and that he was not inclined to argue or become involved in any contrary discussion. He said that the statements were such as would be expected from a clergyman of the Baptist denomination because the latter is against all forms of dancing and such social recreation.

Formerly, continued Mr. Harris, the social functions and dancing parties connected with high school life were more numerous than at present and

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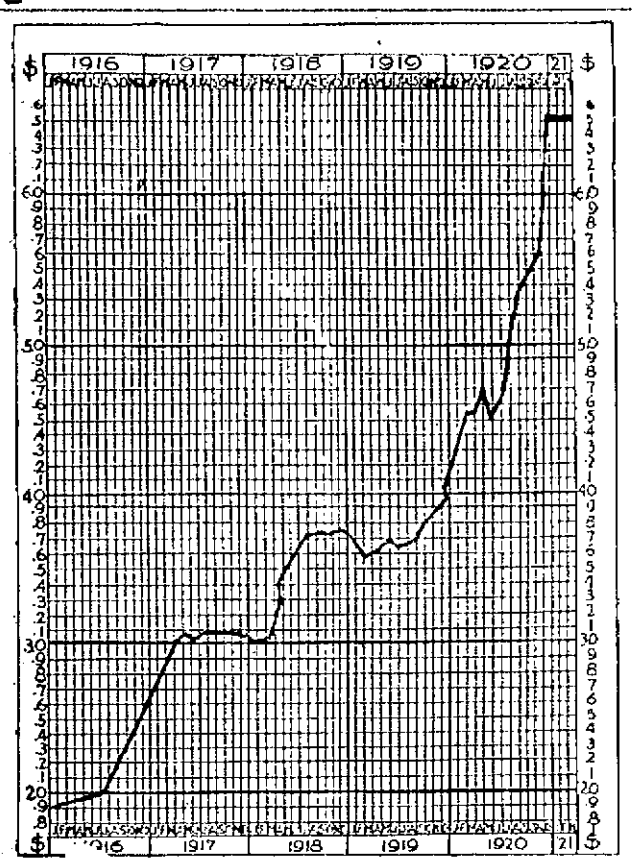

Chart shows upward curve of print paper price as sold by contract (less than "spot" market price) from January, 1916, when it was $1.91 per hundredweight, to and including the first three months of 1921, contract price now being $6.50.

PRINT PAPER PRICES SET NEW HIGH RECORD

(N E A Staff Special)

NEW YORK, Jan. 22—While the cost of living is sagging, and the cost of production in most lines of business is dropping, American publishers meet with still further price increases.

News print paper contracts for the first quarter of 1921 call for $6.50 per hundredweight. This is the highest figure print paper ever has been sold by contract. The "spot" market price is considerably higher.

The largest price increase in history was scored during 1920, and is reflected in the $6.50 contract price American and Canadian paper mills are charging for January, February and March, 1921.

Before 1916 the price of news print maintained an almost even level at between $1.92 and $2. It did not pass the latter figure until July, 1916, when it began a steady climb, reaching $3.11 in April, 1917. About January, 1918, there was a slight drop, but by the end of the year the price had gone up to $3.73.

The first $4 contract paper price was reached in December, 1919.

In the latter part of 1920, when all other prices were starting downward, print paper continued upward, going to $5.66 in November. The 1921 contract price (for January, February and March) is $6.50. This is 50 per cent higher than the January (1920) price; it is 10 per cent higher than the 1913 average price, and is more than 200 per cent higher than print paper ever sold at, under contract, before the war.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

By Theatres' Own Press Agents.

OPERA HOUSE

The greatest musical treat of the season is promised the patrons of the Opera House for the week, when The Players, augmented by well-known local talent, will present Victor Herbert's great musical comedy success, "The Only Girl." This production is by far the most ambitious effort ever attempted in local stock circles. Owner Schaake and Director Bennett have given the presentation for the week special attention and extra expense has been demanded to give it the proper and necessary accessories and fittings. Besides being a really big production it will be a most satisfying one, for it has all of the elements of a high-class musical comedy. The play itself has an abundance of humor in its story, which concerns a young man who had pledged himself to bachelorhood, but who finds himself slipping when he attempts to write a play and has to call upon a pretty young miss to help him in his work. The process of his change from "single blessedness" into the sea of matrimony is most entertaining.

The musical numbers will be handled by Miss Marguerite Fields and Miss Hill, with Charles E. Barton, Milton Byron, Maxwell Driscoll and the others helping. The local chorus, made up of Lowell's most talented singers, will include Evelyn Donnelly, Nora Regan Longtin, Florence McManus, Alice Murningham, Loretta Finnerty, Sadie Sheehan and Marion Sanderson. Madeline Bolan, will be one of the soloists. Miss Hill, who has appeared in this piece several times in the past, will have one of the important singing parts, and Chas. Barton promises an entertaining bit of "Scotch" in his number, "Roamin' in the Gloamin'." The advance sale of tickets already indicates that one of the largest crowds of the season will witness this offering. Friends and admirers of the local talent have registered their intention of conducting theatre parties during the week, and the thousands of admirers of The Players, who favor their appearance in musical comedy plan special parties. It is advisable to make early reservations. Tel. 261. Box office open daily from 10 a. m. to 9 p. m.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Introducing eccentric comedy into their work the Bison City Four, which will be the headliner of this week's show at the B. F. Keith theatre, differs from most other quartets in vaudeville. They sing much during their act, but always find time enough to tuck in some comedy that invariably "goes big" with audiences. The members of this quartet are: Vic Milo, Frank Girard, George Hughes and Ed. Roscoe.

A portly judge, with his own ideas about life and reformation is the character Wm. H. St. James will portray when he gives Homer Miles' new comedy, "Judge True." Mr. St. James has done similar work on the legitimate stage, and it was warmly appreciated. When Irving Cobb's "Judge Priest" stories were dramatized Mr. St. James had the title role. His present vehicle resembles somewhat the character in the Cobb stories. A most spectacular riding novelty is offered by James Dutton and company. Mr. Dutton and his two young assistants execute a number of clever and difficult feats of bareback riding. The horses used in the act are pure white and an all-white dog adds to the beauty of the exhibition. Martha Pryor, who is called "The Kentucky Girl," and her company will dispense good music. Miss Pryor is accomplished as a singer and also as an all-round musician. She is graceful and refined in her work, and, all in all, makes a deep impression wherever she visits.

"Modern Entertainers" in all that the words imply are McCloud and Norman. They don't amplify these words any, so one is left to believe that they sing, dance and chatter. Drisko & Earl are songsters who have an unusual line of banter to offer, and the Bellis Duo are graceful and daring aerial performers. In addition there will be shown News Kinograms, Topics of the Day and a screen comedy.

RIALTO THEATRE

A thrilling picture embracing a cowardly plot to drown many souls on board a sailing schooner from Australia to Liverpool, England is seen in the super feature sea story "Dead Men Tell No Tales," which opens at the Rialto theatre this afternoon and which is booked for the entire week. The picture is taken from the well known novel by E. W. Hornung, is a Tom Terriss production and is edited by Mr. and Mrs. George Randolph Chester. The story deals with half a dozen plotters returning form Australia who plan to take over several chests of gold and to destroy the ship and every living soul it carries. Just see how they succeed. There is also a First National comedy, "The Skipper's Narrow Escape," Episode 10 of "Bride 13" and the Fox news.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

A breath-taking story and a brilliant cast of film favorites who are considered of the star calibre are the combination promised in William De Mille's masterpiece, "Midsummer Madness," which opened its three day showing in this city today. The story is taken from Cosmo Hamilton's late novel, "His Friend and His Wife," centers around two young married couples who are close friends. One of the husbands imagines himself in love with his friend's wife, and she, hungry for romance, yields to a temporary infatuation. The results are highly interesting and lead to a climax that for sheer dramatic intensity has never been equalled on the screen. This great photoplay has been endorsed by a number of the greatest moving picture critics in this country. The cast includes Lois Wilson, Lila Lee, Jack Holt and Conrad Nagel. Mack Sennett's "Bungalow Trouble," News, Paramount Magazine, and Topics of the day round out the bill.

THE STRAND

"Hearts Are Trumps," Cecil Raleigh's stage triumph and Drury Lane success, which will be presented the first three days of the week at The Strand, beginning with matinee today, will be enacted by an all-star cast. This picturization is said to compare favorably with all of the well-known Drury Lane productions and should score a big hit with the playgoers hereabouts. It has every element that goes in the making of a super-special. The story is a gripping melodrama of high society life in Europe and has some of the strongest characters imaginable. And there is an abundance of action as well.

The second feature on the bill will present Earle Williams in "The Romance Promoter." It's a delightfully amusing story in which Williams finds ample opportunity to once again reflect those qualities that have made him the extremely popular star that he is. The average playgoers of the present day like light comedy mixed with the more serious phases of life on which so many of the recent film releases are based.

Besides these two big picture events, there will be the usual comedy and Weekly offering, as well as superior musical contributions by Miss Elsie Robbins. Arrange to see this extraordinary program. It's a worth-while one.

Tuesday night the Choral society concert will be given, but the usual Strand matinee will be held in the afternoon.

BIG PICTURE OF YEAR

"Madame X," one of the real big picture productions of the year, will be shown at The Strand for a limited engagement soon. The coming of this extraordinary picturization, and at the usual Strand prices, will undoubtedly be appreciated by all lovers of superior pictures. Watch the papers for further announcements.

An Englishman claims that a frog can be charmed with music in the same manner that a snake may be charmed.

GETS AROUND LIKE A GIRL 16

TEWKSBURY WOMAN SOUNDS PRAISES OF SISTER MARY'S COMPOUND

For over two years I have lived in the miseries of pain and nervousness, and the least noise, even that of the passing automobiles, would almost set me crazy. I couldn't bear the sound of footsteps overhead. I have suffered with wind dropsy for a long time and was compelled to keep quiet as I was terribly bloated in the body and limbs, making it very difficult to walk at all. My appetite was very poor and some days I didn't eat anything. Three weeks ago my throat became very sore and gradually grew worse until I was all choked up; my left lung was terribly irritated and I had pneumonia pains. Every time I coughed it seemed as though my sides were being torn out and I was entirely exhausted afterward.

Hearing so much about the great help Sister Mary's Compound was giving to people I bought a bottle for my throat and lungs. A friend told me to take big doses for a day or so and I did; it wiped out my sore throat in one night and in less than two days the cough disappeared as well as the soreness and pains in my left lung. It has been my habit every morning to measure myself to see if I was swelling more from the dropsy. In less than one week, much to my surprise, I found that the swelling had gone down so I could lap my skirt over two inches. I cannot say too much in praise and appreciation for what Sister Mary's Compound has done for me. Every day I grow stronger; my appetite is fine and I have no bowel trouble whatever and I can get around again like a girl of 16. The greatest noise never bothers me and once more I enjoy talking and laughing with my friends.

I heartily recommend Sister Mary's Compound for folks suffering with stomach, throat, lung and bowel trouble and loss of appetite and dropsy such as I have been afflicted with for a long time.

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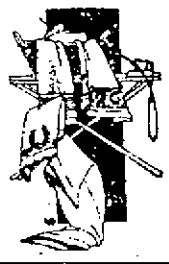

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CATHOLIC NEWS

Members of the junior branch of the Holy Name society of St. Patrick's church received their monthly communion at the 8.30 o'clock mass yesterday, the mass being celebrated by Rev. Jos. A. Curtin. The 7 o'clock mass was celebrated by the pastor, Rt. Rev. Mgr. William O'Brien, while the officiating clergyman at the parish mass was Rev. Dr. James A. Supple. The sermon was delivered by Rev. Francis Keenan. On Tuesday evening there will be a meeting of the Holy Name society and at the close of the meeting an illustrated lecture will be given on "Around the World with the Missionaries." The Holy Family sodality will meet Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Immaculate Conception

The monthly communion for the members of the senior branch of the Children of Mary sodality and the junior branch of the Holy Name society of the Immaculate Conception church took place yesterday morning at the 8.30 o'clock mass, which was celebrated by Rev. J. B. McCarlin, O.M.I., who was assisted in giving communion by Rev. Denis A. Sullivan, O.M.I. The parish mass was celebrated by Rev. Owen P. McQuaid, O.M.I.

St. Joseph's

The parish mass at St. Joseph's church was celebrated by Rev. Armand Baron, O.M.I., while the sermon was given by Rev. Aurelien Mercil, O.M.I. The choir, under the direction of Telesphore Malo rendered the Missa Royale harmonized, the solos being sustained by Messrs. Leveille, Lajeunesse and Tousignant. At the offertory a quartet composto of Alberic Ducharme, Miss Stella Latour, A. G. Leveille and Fred Ducharme rendered Gilmon's "Ave Verum."

St. Peter's

At the 8.30 o'clock mass at St. Peter's church yesterday the members of the Children of Mary sodality received communion in a body. The officiating clergyman was Rev. Francis Shea and he was assisted in giving communion by Rev. D. J. Heffernan. A meeting of the Immaculate Conception sodality will be held next Thursday evening.

St. Michael's

The pastor, Rev. John J. Shaw, celebrated the 8 o'clock mass at St. Michael's church yesterday, while the parish mass was celebrated by Rev. T. J. Heagney. The sermon was given by Rev. Francis J. Mullin. It was announced at all the masses that the young women of the parish will conduct a social Jan. 25 and that arrangements are being made for a minstrel entertainment by the young men for some time next month.

Sacred Heart

The monthly communion for the members of the Children of Mary sodality of the Sacred Heart church took place yesterday morning at the 7.30 o'clock mass, which was celebrated by Rev. John M. Doherty, O.M.I., who was assisted in giving communion by the pastor, Rev. John F. Flynn, O.M.I. The parish mass was celebrated by Rev. James T. McDermott, O.M.I., while the sermon was delivered by the pastor. A minstrel entertainment will be given next month by the Holy Name Social club and on Thursday night the members of the Sacred Heart Dramatic club, who recently produced "The Exile of Erin" will be banqueted in the school hall.

St. Louis'

Rev. F. X. Gauthier officiated at the parish mass at St. Louis' church yesterday, while the preacher was Rev. Donia Boisvert. The 6.30 o'clock mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Boisvert and at that mass the members of the Sacred Heart league received communion in a body.

Notre Dame de Lourdes'

The monthly communion for the members of the Sacred Heart Cadets and the Zouaves of Notre Dame de Lourdes' church took place yesterday morning at the 7.30 o'clock mass, which was celebrated by Rev. Leon Lamothe, O.M.I., pastor. In the afternoon at 1.30 o'clock a meeting of both organizations was held in the church and Rev. J. B. A. Barette, O.M.I., delivered the instructions and officiated at benediction of the blessed sacrament. The parish mass was celebrated by Rev. Joseph A. Denis, O.M.I., while the sermon was delivered by Rev. Fr. Barette, O.M.I.

St. Margaret's

At the early mass at St. Margaret's church yesterday many received holy communion. The celebrant was the pastor, Rev. C. J. Galligan, while the parish mass was celebrated by Rev. Stephen Murray.

St. Columba's

The pastor, Rev. P. J. Hally, celebrated the early masses at St. Columba's church yesterday and he gave communion to a large number of men, women and children. The parish mass was celebrated by Rev. James M. Somers, who also delivered the sermon.

Charlotte Walsh plays Katisha, Mikado.—Adv.

MANY SHOE WORKERS FOUND TO BE SUFFERING

Ill Health and Much Absence From Work Due to Constipation

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Many of the workers are standing at their work all through the day and are becoming constipated or else are constipated. Some of them have neglected their health and as a result have piles, which could have been avoided by taking care of their constipation trouble.

The chief trouble is that their systems are clogged with a lot of impurities that they can't get rid of. They have been taking oils and pills that have been forcing action and causing violent stomach pains. Even then, they have failed to cleanse the bowels of the whole matter as these oils and pills only half act and invariably make further doses necessary.

In this way, many of them have allowed their systems to become poisoned and are suffering mental depression, foul breath and pale and sallow complexion which is made more noticeable by muddy or pimply skin.

I have experimented on several by giving them Toxo treatment with the results that the waste matter in their bowels has been completely and promptly removed and the action has been pleasant and gentle—entirely free from the violent action of cheap laxatives.

Toxo treatment was a way of going through the system and sweeping and molesting all waste matter and allowing free and smooth evacuation. It has won the approval and friendship of a large number of shoe workers who have tried it with splendid success. I want to urge upon all sufferers of constipation, indigestion and other stomach and liver ills the great necessity for using this proper treatment for their illness.—Toxo."

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Mendora Madras and Knowlton Shirtings, silk stripes; were $4.00 and $5.00. Now
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All our best Shirts, silk and silk madras stripes; were $6.30, $8.50 and $9.60. Now
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BOYS' SHIRTS MARKED DOWN
$1.50, now $1.00
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38,000 LIVES SAVED ON R. R. IN 13 YEARS

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—More than 38,000 lives have been saved on the railroads of the United States as a result of the organized safety work carried on during thirteen years, according to an analysis made at the headquarters of the national safety council here of railway statistics from 1906 to 1919 compiled by Slason Thompson of the bureau of railway news and statistics, the council announced today.

The national safety council estimated the number of lives saved on the basis of the ratio of the number of persons killed each year to the freight tonnage carried during each year. For example in 1906, 10,618 persons were killed on the railroads and 1,631,000,000 tons were carried. In 1919 6975 persons were killed, while 2,121,000,000 tons were carried. On this basis of comparison there was an actual saving of 6928 lives during 1919, as compared with 1906. This process was applied to the figures for each of the intervening years, and the total sum of lives saved as determined by the national safety council was 38,621. In other words, if the number of persons killed in railway accidents during each of the last thirteen years had been in the same ratio to the tonnage carried as were fatalities in 1906, 38,621 more persons would have been killed in railway accidents than were actually killed.

Some other striking revelations of the railroads accident statistics are brought out in the council's study, namely:

That the number of persons killed in railway accidents during 1919, 6975, is the lowest on record in the twenty years since 1902;

That 135,021 miles of railroad lines, nearly half the mileage of the country, were operated without a single passenger being killed in a train accident on these lines during 1919;

combined railroad mileage of Great Britain, Germany, France and Austria-Hungary was operated during 1919 without a single fatality to a passenger in the 447,126,735 journeys recorded, the average journey being 41 miles;

That the number of injured in railway accidents in 1919,—147,015—was the lowest on record since 1910.

That fewer passengers were killed in 1919 than in 1893, although between those years passenger mileage increased more than 360 per cent, and freight tonnage increased more than 500 per cent. In 1906 one passenger was killed for every 183,207,483 passengers carried one mile; in 1919 one was killed for every 475,620,301 passengers carried in one mile.

A noteworthy decrease in the number of railroad employes killed was made in 1919 as compared with the preceding year. In 1918, with 1,897,741 men employed, 2759 were killed, an average of 1.45 per 1000 employed. In 1919 with 1,960,569 men employed, 1693 were killed, an average of 0.86 per 1000 employed.

MIDSUMMER MADNESS

New Disease Baffles All Doctors But One

Said Due to Effect of Moon

Mid Summer Madness despite the fact it is now mid-winter, may be imminent in Lowell as an epidemic.

Of this peculiar affectation little is yet known except that it is believed due to effects of moonlight. Only one physician in the world at present is able to give successful treatment for it.

Readers are requested to make a study of the information on this subject to be found in today's paper on page five.—Adv.

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CENTRAL AT WARREN STREET

IRELAND WILL NEVER ACCEPT COMPROMISE

GLOUCESTER, Jan. 24.—City hall auditorium was pacek to its capacity of 1200 yesterday afternoon to hear Mayor Dennis Morgan of Thurles, Ireland, on the Irish question. On the platform were the American flag and the colors of the Irish republic, the latter in miniature being carried by many of the audience.

Rev. William J. Dwyer, P. R., of St. Anne's church presided. The first speaker was Prof. Daniel Foley of Boston, who told of events just before the world war, referring to the attitude of Sir Edward Carson and Sir John French.

Mayor Morgan stated that the Irish have at last awakened from the stupidity of short-sighted leaders and will accept no compromise except absolute freedom. He said the lord high chief executioner, Sir Hamar Greenwood, has recruited the Irish constbulary from the prisons and the slums for the purpose of wiping out the leaders of the Irish republic and intimidating the people. The atrocities of the Black and Tans, he said, are hardly known outside of Ireland because the British government controls all news-distributing agencies and colors the report to suit itself.

"The cry has gone forth that the Irish should let bygones be bygones and join hands with the English in solving the problems of Irish government," he continued, "but the Irish will not forget their grievances and will accept nothing less than complete freedom. Fortunately De Valera is back on Irish soil today to give comfort and consolation to the people and he stands firmly in demanding absolute independence."

VIGIL LIGHTS TO BURN FOR HARDING

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24—Vigil lights, symbolizing patriotic prayers for the guidance and support of President-elect Harding when he takes office as President of the United States, will be burned from March 3 to March 8 in the national shrine of the Immaculate Conception of Brookland, D. C., according to announcement of Rt. Rev. Thos. J. Shahan, rector of the Catholic university.

A special appeal has been issued to all Catholics of the United States to participate in the acts of national devotion symbolized by the lights.

BIG RIOT IN LAWRENCE

LAWRENCE, Jan. 24.—While employes of the American Woolen company's mills were holding a meeting yesterday to protest against misrepresentation by agitators, 200 men said to be members of the Amalgamated Textile Workers, singing the Internationale, entered the hall. A general fight followed. Police reserves were called and used their clubs freely to stop the disturbance.

CUTTING ICE AT CRYSTAL LAKE

About 150 men in the employ of the Boston Ice company are cutting ice at Crystal Lake. The ice is 12 inches thick.

The Daniel Gage company was scheduled to start cutting on the pond in South Chelmsford this morning, but because of the mild weather during the week-end it was deemed advisable to wait a few more days and accordingly the men who had been hired to do the work were notified that the work would not start before the middle of the week. The ice on the ponds in the suburban towns is anywhere from 10 to 14 inches thick, but a delay of a few days in the starting of operations will not hurt the ice, said Miss Gage today. The Merrimack river is frozen across but cutting there will not be started for some time unless a genuine, ice-making cold spell sets in.

RELIGIOUS ISSUE RAISED IN COURT

BOSTON, Jan. 24.—A motion for a change of venue that raised a religious issue and a counter motion by the government that it be expunged from the records as scandalous and un-American were taken under advisement in the superior court today.

The case was that in which Godfrey L. Cabot, treasurer of the New England Watch and Ward society, and R. D. Weston and H. M. Holmes, local lawyers, are charged with receiving a letter stolen from the legal files of Daniel H. Coakley and with conspiring to its theft by a former police officer. It was contended by their counsel that they could not obtain a fair trial in Suffolk county or any contiguous county because of religious prejudices. District Attorney Pelletier in opposing the motion denounced the issue as irrelevant and an attack on the right of a large body of citizens to serve as jurors.

SAYS PAYNE KNEW OF SHIPPING PACT

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—P. A. S. Franklin, president of the International Mercantile Marine, in a statement yesterday declared that Judge John Barton Payne, former chairman of the shipping board, had been informed of an agreement between the company and the British government to protect British shipping interests.

Judge Payne, in a letter, to Senator Jones of Washington, denied that he knew of such an agreement.

Mr. Franklin made public a letter from himself to Judge Payne, dated Nov. 21, 1919, in which the terms of the agreement were set forth, as well as one signed by the chairman acknowledging receipt of the letter and thanking him for the information.

Senator Jones, who is chairman of the senate commerce committee has charged that the International Mercantile Marine company had entered into an agreement with England to pursue no "policy injurious to the British mercantile marine, or to the British mercantile marine, or to British trade." Mr. Franklin denied that American ships should be subject to or affected by such an agreement.

LOCAL MILL NEWS

Tremont and Suffolk in Idle Column—Other Mills

Instead of starting some of the departments on full time this morning as it was hoped for the Tremont & Suffolk mills are idle today. The employes who reported for work this morning were informed that the entire plant was closed until further notice, but this forenoon Agent Rawlinson stated that operations may be resumed tomorrow.

It is understood that the company was figuring on securing big contracts and hence the announcement of a full-time schedule for this week for some of the departments, but as far as can be learned the contracts have been held up temporarily and inasmuch as all orders on hand had been filled, there was nothing else to do but to shut down. Word is expected today from headquarters in Boston, however, for the reopening of the mills tomorrow or Wednesday.

The Massachusetts and Appleton mills are operating on a full-time schedule, while the Merrimack Mfg. Co. is retaining its four-days-a-week schedule. Some of the departments of the Boott mills will operate three days this week, while others will work four days. The Hamilton mill is running, but its working schedule for this week could not be learned, although it is presumed it will be about four days.

TERRIBLE INJURIES

Auto Rim Flew Apart Killing Concord Man

CONCORD, N. H., Jan. 24.—Albert Wheeler was killed this afternoon and Arthur Foote and Andrew Drew injured, not fatally, in a peculiar accident in a local garage. The rim of an automobile wheel on which the men were working gave under pressure and flew apart with great force, striking Wheeler on the head and inflicting terrible injuries. The other men were thrown to the ground by the force of the explosion.

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In the Dry Goods Section

THE GREAT UNDERPRICED BASEMENT

BEGAN TODAY

BLEACHED COTTON—A yard wide. In mill remnants. Clearance price 10c

LINEN FINISH COTTON—Bleached, 36 inches wide, firm quality; 25c value. Clearance price 15c

AMERICAN MAID COTTON—A yard wide. Bleached, firm quality. Clearance price 15c

INDIAN HEAD COTTON—Linen finish.
- 33 inches wide. Clearance price 18c
- 36 inches wide. Clearance price 22c
- 44 inches wide. Clearance price 29c
- 54 inches wide. Clearance price 39c

REGATTA BLEACHED COTTON—Very fine grade, 36 inches wide; 29c value. Clearance price 19c

MIDDY TWILL—Bleached. Firm, fine weave; 29c value. Clearance price 19c

LONG CLOTH AND NAINSOOK—The Jabez C. Knight grades; 39c value. Clearance price 25c

36-INCH PILLOW TUBING—Fine bleached quality; 45c value. Clearance price 29c

100 PIECES LONG CLOTH—A yard wide. Nice underwear material.
- 39c value. Clearance price 25c
- 50c value. Clearance price 29c
- 10 yards for $2.75

EXTRA FINE WHITE NAINSOOK—In full pieces. Chamois finish.
- 50c value. Clearance price 29c
- 59c value. Clearance price 35c

WHITE DIMITY—In satin stripe pattern; 50c value. Clearance price 29c

YARD WIDE DIMITY—In pajama check pattern; 29c value. Clearance price 19c

NAINSOOK—36 inches wide, fine weave, white and flesh.
- 29c value. Clearance price 19c
- 59c value. Clearance price 39c

WHITE VOILE—Stripe and check patterns, 36 inches wide; 39c value. Clearance price 19c

PIQUE—A yard wide. Medium wales; 50c value. Clearance price 29c

DOTTED MUSLIN FOR CURTAINS—Very fine quality. All white; 39c value. Clearance price 25c

CURTAIN SCRIM—With fancy woven double borders. All white; 20c value. Clearance price 12½c

BATES ZEPHYR GINGHAM—32 inches wide. Best grade, full pieces. Clearance price 29c

SEERSUCKER GINGHAM—Best Bates grade, several colors. Clearance price 25c

HEAVY COTTONADE—For men's and boys' trousers. Dark colors; 50c value. Clearance price 25c

BLEACHED DOMET FLANNEL—A yard wide; 39c value. Clearance price 25c

TWILLED DOMET FLANNEL—Heavy and bleached; 39c value. Clearance price 25c

YARD WIDE DOMET—Heavy grade, bleached; 50c value. Clearance price 35c

COLORED OUTING FLANNEL—Light or dark shades. Full pieces. Clearance price 19c

OUTING FLANNEL AND DOMET—Colors and plain white—Mill remnants; 25c value. Clearance price 15c

WHITE DOMET—In good length remnants; 19c value. Clearance price 12½c

TABLE OIL CLOTH—Plain white, white printed and dark colors. A yard and a quarter wide. Second quality. Clearance price 25c

100 PIECES SHELF OIL CLOTH—12½c value. Clearance price 7c

WHITE WOOL FLANNEL—¼ and ⅞ wide; $1.50 value. Clearance price $1.00

COTTON BATTING—White and fluffy. Clearance price, at ..... 15c Pkg.

COMFORTER BATTING—3 pounds cleaned and bleached; opens size 72x90; $1.50 value. Clearance price, 79c Package

TURKISH TOWELS—Hand size. Clearance price.....12½c

TWO-THREAD TURKISH TOWELS—Firm, heavy, medium size. Clearance price 25c

LARGE TURKISH TOWELS—Size 20x40. Plain white or with blue borders; 50c value. Clearance price, 35c; 3 for $1.00

EXTRA HEAVY TURKISH TOWELS—Very absorbent; 69c value. Clearance price .....39c; 2 for 75c

TURKISH TOWELS—Bath size. Extra fine and best quality; 75c value. Clearance price .....48c; 3 for $1.25

HUCK TOWELS—Good weight, size 16x32; 19c value. Clearance price 12½c

HEAVY HUCK TOWELS—Firm weave. Size 19x38; 39c value. Clearance price 25c

LINEN HUCK TOWELS—Hemstitched with plain hems. Seconds; 59c value. Clearance price ....35c; 3 for $1.00

LINEN FINISH CRASH TOWELING—In mill remnants. 18 inches wide; 25c value. Clearance price 15c

HEAVY CRASH TOWELING—Linen finish, blue borders; 25c value. Clearance price, at 17c

50 PIECES CRASH—Bleached or brown, heavy quality, part linen; 29c value. Clearance price 20c

BARNSLEY LINEN CRASH—Bleached. Very good grade; 35c value. Clearance price 25c

ALL LINEN CRASH—Stevens grade. Unbleached, with blue borders; 39c value. Clearance price 29c

PERCALE—In light or dark colors; good patterns. Clearance price 12½c

36-INCH PERCALE—Fine grade, all colors. Clearance price 19c

VERY BEST PERCALE AND SHIRTING—In neat patterns; good colors. Clearance price 25c

CRETONNE AND SILKOLINE—36 inches wide. Pretty patterns and colors; 29c value. Clearance price 15c

COTTON SERGE AND CHEVY CHASE CLOTH—Assorted colors; 39c value. Clearance price 19c

32-INCH GINGHAM PLAIDS—Of fine quality. Also staple patterns; 29c value. Clearance price 19c

TWILLED CRETONNE—In fancy art designs and color combinations; 25c value. Clearance price 15c

TUDOR CRETONNE—In mill remnants. Light and dark colors; 29c value. Clearance price 19c

YARD WIDE CRETONNE—Suitable for furniture covers, overdraperies, laundry bags, etc.; 50c value. Clearance price 29c

SILK VELVET—In mill remnants. Assorted colors; $1.50 value. Clearance price 59c

BASKET CLOTH AND PIQUE—Of fine quality. Mill remnants; 50c value. Clearance price, 25c

GALATEA—Best quality. Plain and stripe patterns; 39c value. Clearance price.....19c

ALL WOOL DRESS GOODS—42 to 50 inches wide. Dark colors. Mill remnant lengths. Clearance price $1.29

HEAVY WOOL DRESS GOODS—In remnants; 36 inches wide. Clearance price.....98c

COTTON PLAID DRESS GOODS—A yard wide. Remnants; 59c value. Clearance price..25c

GINGHAM AND CHAMBRAY REMNANTS—Standard grades, staple patterns. Clearance price 15c

OUTING FLANNEL REMNANTS—36 inches wide. Heavy, warm grade. Clearance price 19c

EXTRA HEAVY TWILLED DOMET—In remnants. Clearance price 19c

PRINTED PLAID DRESS GOODS—In mill remnants; 50c value. Clearance price.....19c

AMOSKEAG ROMPER CLOTH—32 in. wide. Neat patterns; 1 to 10 yard remnants. Clearance price 19c

OTIS GINGHAM—32 inches wide. A heavy, strong material for children's play clothes. Clearance price 19c

39-INCH UNBLEACHED COTTON—In remnants. Clearance price 12½c

PEPPERELL 36-INCH COTTON—In bleached remnants. Clearance price 12½c

40-INCH UNBLEACHED COTTON—Fine weave, but very strong. Remnant lengths. Clearance price 15c

BLEACHED SHEETS—Made from standard quality seamless sheeting. One and three-inch hems.
- Size 72x90. $1.50 value. Clearance price, at $1.19
- Size 72x99. $1.69 value. Clearance price, $1.29
- Size 81x90. $1.69 value. Clearance price, $1.39

20 DOZEN EXTRA FINE SHEETS—Made of good bleached cotton. Size 72x90. Clearance price 98c

PILLOW CASES—Size 45x36, made of fine bleached cotton; 50c value. Clearance price, 35c pair; 3 for $1.00

ALL NASHUA COTTON AND WOOLNAP BLANKETS

Gray Cotton Blankets, with borders. Size 54x74. Regular $2.50 value. Clearance price $1.59

Plain White or Gray Blankets, with pink or blue borders. Size 50x72; regular $2.79 value. Clearance price $1.79

Heavy Cotton Blankets, for double beds. White, gray and tan. Two sizes, 60x76 and 64x76; regular $3.50 values. Clearance price $2.59

Twilled Cotton Blankets, heavy and warm; large size, 66x80; regular $4 value. Clearance price $2.89

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Heavy Slumbermores, of wool finish and twilled. In white, gray and tan. Size 64x76; regular $5 value. Clearance price $3.49

Nashua Woolnap Blankets, size 60x76. White and tan with borders; regular $5.00 value. Clearance price $3.89

Extra Heavy Woolnap Blankets, with ribbon binding. Colors, tan or white; 64x76; regular $6 value. Clearance price $3.98

Large Nashua Woolnaps, in fancy plaids or plain white and gray. Size 70x80; regular $6.50 value. Clearance price $4.25

Nashua Woolnap Blankets, of extra large size. White, gray, tan. Also fancy light and medium plaids. Size 72x84; regular $7.50 value. Clearance price $4.25

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EXTRA FINE WOOL BLANKETS—A special grade. White with silk ribbon bindings, and pink or blue borders. Size 72x84; regular price $15.00. Clearance price..... $9.85

50 PAIRS CRIB BLANKETS—Wool finish. White with pink or blue borders; $2.25 value. Clearance price .....$1.29 Pair

CRIB BLANKETS—Size 36x50. Solid pink or or blue with silk binding; $2.98 value. Clearance price ..... $1.59 Each

WOOL CRIB BLANKETS—Size 36x50. White with pink or blue borders; $3.50 value. Clearance price .....$2.50 Pair

FANCY CRIB BLANKETS—Heavy and warm. Assorted designs; pink and blue. Size 36x50; $2.00 value. Clearance price 98c Ea.

WOOL PUFFS—Coverings of best quality silk, satin or soisette. Pretty designs and colors. Full sizes—
- $12.50 value. Clearance price.....$8.98
- $15 to $19 values. Clearance price..$12.50
- $27.50 value. Clearance price.....$18.50
- $32.50 value. Clearance price.....$25.00
- $39.50 to $42.50 values. Clearance price, $29.00

DOWN PUFFS—Fancy silk and satin covers, plain or with borders. Also silk linings. New designs—
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- $37.50 value. Clearance price $25.00

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Full size Comforters, filled with soft white cotton. Choice of silkaline or sateen coverings, plain or fancy designs, light and dark colors; regular $6.00 value. Clearance price $3.89

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WOMEN'S VESTS, DRAWERS, UNION SUITS—Good quality; 50c value. Clearance price, 29c

VESTS AND DRAWERS—In women's, misses' and children's sizes. Clearance price 39c

CHILDREN'S AND MISSES' VESTS AND DRAWERS—79c value. Clearance price, at 49c

UNION SUITS—Jersey rib. Children's and misses' sizes—
- $1.00 value. Clearance price 49c
- $1.39 value. Clearance price 98c
- $1.89 value. Clearance price $1.19

JERSEY VESTS AND DRAWERS—In women's sizes—
- 79c value. Clearance price 49c
- $1.50 value. Clearance price..... 89c

BLACK HOSE—Finely ribbed, in children's sizes; 29c value. Clearance price..19c Pair

HEAVY RIBBED HOSE—For children, in black only; 39c value. Clearance price.....25c

CHILDREN'S HOSE—Of extra heavy weight, ribbed; 50c value. Clearance price.....29c

WOMEN'S LISLE HOSE—Medium weight, full fashioned; 50c value. Clearance price..25c

WOOL HOSE—In women's sizes. Black only; 69c value. Clearance price .....35c Pair

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BOYS' STORM SHOES—High cut with buckles at top, made by "Hood," Goodyear Welt every pair. All sizes, 2½ to 6. Regular price $5.00. Clearance price **$2.98**

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MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S TAN HI-CUT SHOES—Made on wide toe, easy fitting last; all sizes in lot, 8½ to 11 and 11½ to 2. Clearance price **$1.98**

MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S GUN METAL SHOES—Lace style, all solid leather, wide toe last.
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CHILDREN'S TAN HI-CUT SHOES—Lace style, light turn soles; all sizes, 3 to 8. Regular price $2.00. Clearance price **$1.49**

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BOYS' RUBBERS—To fit wide toe shoes—
Sizes 11 to 2. Clearance price..... **69¢**
Sizes 2½ to 6. Clearance price..... **79¢**

CHILDREN'S RUBBERS—To fit all style shoes; sizes 3 to 10½. Clearance price ..... **65¢**

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BRASSIERES—In small and large sizes. Good fitting garments, plain and fancy models—
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79c values. Clearance price ..... **50¢**
$1.00 values. Clearance price ..... **79¢**

BLOOMERS—Of sateen, crepe, jersey, baliste of sceo silk; black, white, flesh color. Cut full and well made. Women's and misses' sizes—
50c values. Clearance price..... **39¢**
$1.00 values. Clearance price ..... **79¢**
$1.50 values. Clearance price..... **89¢**

ENVELOPE CHEMISE—All white. Fine nainsook or cambric with deep lace yokes back and front—
$1.00 values. Clearance price..... **79¢**
$1.50 values. Clearance price **$1.00**
$2.00 values. Clearance price..... **$1.39**

CREPE DE CHINE AND SATIN CHEMISE—Of nice quality. Lace trimmed; several different styles. $2.50 value. Clearance price..... **$1.79**

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$1.50 values. Clearance price..... **$1.00**
$2.00 values. Clearance price **$1.39**
$2.50 values. Clearance price..... **$1.79**

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MIDDY BLOUSES—Cut from heavy jean twill in smart sea styles. Plain or colored collars and cuffs—
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WOMEN'S VOILE WAISTS—In new styles. Trimmings of fine lace or embroidery. Others made of white lawn. $1.50 values. Clearance price..... **98¢**

FRENCH VOILE BLOUSES—In styles copied from expensive models. Lace and embroidery trimming—
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CHILDREN'S WHITE DRESSES—Made of fine lawn or organdie in youthful styles. All nicely trimmed. $4.00 values. Clearance price **$1.98**

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$2.00 values. Clearance price..... **$1.29**
$3.00 values. Clearance price..... **$1.79**

WOMEN'S HOUSE DRESSES—In percale and gingham. Neat checks, stripes and plain colors. Several styles.
$1.50 values. Clearance price..... **89¢**
$2.00 values. Clearance price..... **$1.39**
$3.00 values. Clearance price..... **$1.79**

NIGHT GOWNS—In women's sizes. Made of heavy striped outing flannel. Neatly trimmed—
$1.50 values. Clearance price..... **$1.00**
$2.50 values. Clearance price..... **$1.50**

WOMEN'S PAJAMAS—Made of heavy outing flannel in light color stripe patterns—
$2.50 values. Clearance price **$1.49**
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$5.00 values. Clearance price..... **$2.98**
$7.00 values. Clearance price..... **$3.98**

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VELOUR AND BEAVER HATS—In all this year's styles. Silk linings and ribbon bands. $7.50 values. Clearance price **$3.98**

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75c values. Clearance price..... **39¢**
$1.39 values. Clearance price ..... **59¢**
$1.50 values. Clearance price ..... **79¢**
$1.75 values. Clearance price..... **98¢**

BOYS' WINTER CAPS—Heavy and warm. Made from wool suiting remnants with earlaps—
$1.00 values. Clearance price..... **50¢**
$1.25 values. Clearance price..... **75¢**
$1.50 values. Clearance price..... **95¢**

WINTER CAPS FOR MEN—An odd lot of fine, warm caps at ..... **50¢**
$1.00 values. Clearance price ..... **75¢**
$1.50 values. Clearance price..... **89¢**
$2.50 values. Clearance price..... **$1.50**

Boys' Clothing Section

The final markdown of the season includes the best makes of Suits, Overcoats and Trousers for big boys and little boys.

Sizes 2½ to 8 Years

$8.50 to $10.00 Juvenile Suits. Clearance price **$4.79**
$11.00 to $14.00 Juvenile Suits. Clearance price **$7.79**

Sizes 7 to 18 Years

$10.00 Norfolk Suits. Clearance price..... **$6.79**
$12.00 Norfolk Suits. Clearance price..... **$7.89**
$15.00 and $18.50 Norfolk Suits. Clearance price **$10.89**

Sizes 8 to 18 Years

$20.00 and $28.00 Doublebuilt Norfolk Suits. Clearance price **$13.79**

Sizes 2½ to 10 Years

$10.00 to $12.00 Overcoats. Clearance price.... **$4.89**
$12.50 to $14.00 Overcoats. Clearance price.... **$7.79**
$15.00 to $20.00 Overcoats Clearance price.... **$9.79**

Sizes 10 to 18 Years

$15.00 to $25.00 School Overcoats. Clearance price **$9.79**

Sizes 6 to 18 Years

$12.00 to $15.00 Mackinaws. Clearance price **$7.79**

BOYS' TROUSERS

Made of heavy wool, cut very full, well finished.
$1.50 values. Clearance price **$1.00**
$2.50 values. Clearance price..... **$1.50**
$3.00 values. Clearance price **$2.00**
$3.50 values. Clearance price **$2.50**

BOYS' BLUE SERGE TROUSERS
Sizes 7 to 18 Years

$2.50 values. Clearance price **$1.50**
$3.00 values. Clearance price **$2.00**
$3.50 values. Clearance price **$2.50**
$4.00 values. Clearance price **$3.00**

CORDUROY TROUSERS
Sizes 7 to 18 Years

$2.50 values. Clearance price..... **$1.50**
$3.00 values. Clearance price **$2.00**
$3.50 values. Clearance price **$2.50**

SHEEPSKIN LINED COATS

Made of best moleskin cloth with waterproof oiled interlining and large beaverized collars. Sizes 8 to 14 years—
$12.50 values. Clearance price **$9.79**
$15.00 and $16.50 values. Clearance price **$11.79**

Men's Furnishing Section

MEN'S SHIRTS AND DRAWERS—Of heavy jersey fleece. Seconds of the $1.00 garments. Clearance price ..... **39¢ each**

JERSEY RIBBED SHIRTS AND DRAWERS FOR MEN—Heavy weight. $1.00 values. Clearance price **69¢**

SHIRTS AND DRAWERS—Fleece lined. Very warm for winter wear. $1.20 values. Clearance price **69¢**

EXTRA HEAVY SHIRTS AND DRAWERS—Fleece lined. Men's sizes. $1.50 values. Clearance price **89¢**

NATURAL WOOL SHIRTS AND DRAWERS FOR MEN—Extra heavy and warm—
$2.50 values. Clearance price ..... **98¢**
$2.50 values. Clearance price **$1.50**

MENS' UNION SUITS—Of heavy fleece lined jersey. Silver gray and ecru. $2.00 values. Clearance price **$1.19**

JERSEY RIBBED UNION SUITS—Fleece lined. Fine garments. Men's sizes. $2.50 values. Clearance price **$1.39**

EXTRA HEAVY UNION SUITS—Jersey and fleece lined. $3.00 values. Clearance price..... **$1.50**

BOYS' SHIRTS AND DRAWERS—Heavy jersey fleece silver gray. $1.00 values. Clearance price.... **49¢**

UNION SUITS FOR BOYS—Of jersey fleece and fleece lined jersey. $1.25 values. Clearance price **69¢**

WORSTED UNION SUITS FOR BOYS—Also suits of heavy jersey. $1.50 values. Clearance price **89¢**

BOYS' EXTRA HEAVY UNION SUITS—Fleece lined. Very warm garments. $2.50 values. Clearance price **$1.19**

MEN'S HOSE—Extra heavy cotton; all sizes. 25c values. Clearance price ..... **12½¢**

FINE LISLE HOSE FOR MEN—Double soles; black only. 25c values. Clearance price ..... **12½¢**

IPSWICH COTTON HOSE—Very heavy, in black only. Men's sizes. 29c values. Clearance price.... **19¢**

MEN'S IPSWICH HOSE—"Number 50." Black only. 50c value. Clearance price..... **29¢**

MEN'S BLACK HOSE—With white feet. Fine rib. 39c values. Clearance price ..... **19¢**

WOOL AND CASHMERE HOSE—In black, natural, gray and oxford. Men's sizes. 50c value. Clearance price..... **35¢ pair, 3 for $1.00**

MEN'S COAT SWEATERS—Wool and worsted. Light and dark gray, navy, blue, red. $5.00 and $6.00 values. Clearance price **$2.98**

BOYS' WOOL AND WORSTED SWEATERS—Coat style. Heavy, warm garments for indoor or outdoor wear. $4.00 values. Clearance price **$1.98**

MEN'S NIGHT SHIRTS—Made of heavy outing flannel. Light colored stripes. $2.00 values. Clearance price **$1.00**

EXTRA HEAVY FLANNEL NIGHT SHIRTS—Trimmed with silk braid. Men's sizes. $2.50 values. Clearance price **$1.49**

MEN'S PAJAMAS—Made of warm outing flannel. Pink or blue stripe patterns. $3.50 values. Clearance price **$1.98**

BOYS' PAJAMAS—Of striped outing flannel. Cut full sizes, well made. $2.00 values. Clearance price **98¢**

MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS—Cut from fine percale. Neat, light colored stripe patterns. $2.50 values. Clearance price ..... **98¢**

MEN'S WORK SHIRTS—Standard makes of fine chambray, blue and gray. $1.50 values. Clearance price ..... **89¢**

WORK SHIRTS OF HEAVY DRILL—Khaki, black or black and white. $1.50 values. Clearance price **98¢**

MEN'S FLANNEL SHIRTS—"Congress" make, all wool, gray, blue and khaki. Marked below cost—
$4.00 values. Clearance price **$2.49**
$4.50 values. Clearance price **$2.98**
$5.00 values. Clearance price **$3.49**
$6.00 values. Clearance price **$4.29**

MEN'S SHEEPSKIN COATS—Made of heavy moleskin cloth with large beaverized collars—
$15.00 values. Clearance price **$9.85**
$18.00 values. Clearance price **$12.85**
$25.00 values. Clearance price..... **$17.85**
$32.50 values. Clearance price..... **$24.50**

CORDUROY COATS—Sheepskin lined. Fine heavy garment for all kinds of winter weather. Men's sizes. $24.00 values. Clearance price..... **$16.85**

BROWN DUCK COATS—With heavy blanket linings, all wool. Men's sizes only. $12.50 values. Clearance price **$7.85**

MEN'S WOOLEN TROUSERS—Well made, finished with best of trimmings—
$5.00 values. Clearance price..... **$2.89**
$6.00 values. Clearance price..... **$3.39**
$8.00 values. Clearance price..... **$4.39**

MEN'S TROUSERS—Made of best grade corduroy. Cut full sizes, well finished.
$6.50 values. Clearance price..... **$3.49**
$7.50 values. Clearance price..... **$3.98**
$10.00 values. Clearance price **$4.89**

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INDEPENDENCE FOR PHILIPPINES

It was the violation of a pledge signed by King George that precipitated the present trouble in Ireland. There is no denying that pledge as it stands forever a matter of record. It was embodied in the home rule act of 1914, which provided a separate parliament with restricted powers for Ireland without distinction as to sect, race or creed. There was no Ulster, no Munster. That law seemed too fair for Mr. Carson and through his influence the home rule bill was pulled back and then followed in Ireland, loss of interest in the war, opposition to recruiting, insurrection and open rebellion, as we see it today all over the unhappy country.

From the case of Ireland the United States should learn a lesson in regard to the Philippines. The islands have been promised independence by congress, by presidents, ex-presidents, and by political parties and naturally, the people expect to see this promise fulfilled within a reasonable time.

When the United States went to war to destroy Spanish rule in Cuba, it distinctly disclaimed any disposition or intention to exercise sovereignty, jurisdiction or control of said island except for the pacification thereof and asserted its determination when that should be accomplished to leave the government and control to its people.

The government of the United States has faithfully carried out its pledge to Cuba, but its action in regard to the Philippines is in striking contrast. Yet Admiral Dewey in comparing the two peoples, wrote:

"In my opinion these people, the Filipinos, are superior in intelligence and more capable of self-government than the natives of Cuba and I am familiar with both." After further intercourse with the Filipinos, the admiral again wrote President McKinley confirming his former opinion and justifying it on the ground of more intimate knowledge of the people.

In June of 1898, Aguinaldo issued a declaration of independence and General Andersen was sent out to take charge of the insurrection. He wrote the adjutant-general at Washington to this effect:

> "They are not ignorant savage tribes, but have a civilization of their own and although insignificant in appearance are hard fighters and for a tropical people, they are industrious."

Still later Judge Blount, for six years in the Philippines, two years an officer and four a civil judge, made this statement:

> "The more you know of the educated, patriotic Filipino, the more certain you become that the (Aguinaldo) government we destroyed in 1898 would have worked quite as well as most any of the republics now in operation between the Rio Grande and Patagonia."

Various promises, definite and implied, have been made to the Filipinos by the United States government. President McKinley said "we should be recreant to a great trust if we exploited these islands."

In 1907 Governor-General Taft said: "Our jurisdiction and control will finally end in the islands when they are capable of self-government."

Governor General Harrison has notified the Washington government that "the stable government stated as a prerequisite for independence has already been established in the Philippines" and he recommends that "independence now be granted."

The government is progressive and self-supporting, all deficits having been wiped out by a budget system that ensures economic administration. Governor-General Harrison declares that native Filipinos are today governing 1,000 municipalities and 42 provinces economically, efficiently and for the good of the whole people."

That should be conclusive in regard to the Filipino demand for freedom. There is reason to believe that their government at this moment is better and more intelligent than that of many American states. It is time to grant them independence under some arrangement that will give us a coaling station there and keep the friendly regard of the people for the country that gave them freedom under security.

REPUDIATING RADICAL LEADERS

The Italian people of Lawrence have come out publicly to protest against radical agitators presuming to speak for them and to represent them as being identified with turbulent elements who favor labor strikes and movements calculated to injure themselves and the city in which they have made their home. Here is the statement of the Lawrence Italians on this subject:

> "The purpose of this meeting is to protect against outsiders and agitators [illegible] the good name of the Italian people, with [illegible] leaders [illegible] to speak for our people, who [illegible] to our people.
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> "The Italian people can speak for themselves—and will speak for themselves! They are loyal Americans, and are going to be loyal to the community in which they live, and to the country that is giving them protection.
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> "The Italian people wish the public to [illegible], through this meeting, that the [illegible] most of them who [illegible] in Lawrence [illegible] worked in the textile [illegible] misrepresenting [illegible] are not wanted here in Lawrence."

By that statement followed as it was by a public meeting for the same purpose, the Italians of Lawrence have dissociated themselves from the radical leaders who have been trying to revive the I.W.W. spirit and the "One Big Union" idea. By their course, in this regard the Italian citizens have [illegible] team of all good citizens. It remains now for some other nationalities to do likewise. Too long have the Italians, the Lithuanians, the Poles and other peoples been victimized by Bolshevik agitators who try to convince them that they are slaves, despite the fact that most of them are immeasurably better off than they were in their native land. This is equally true of the agitators.

The Amalgamated Textile Workers in forcibly breaking up the public meeting of the Italians yesterday gave a demonstration of their illegal tactics. That was not the first occasion in which they resorted to riotous methods in trying to coerce mill operatives in Lawrence. Such methods are injurious to the mill workers. The "Amalgamated" does not represent the textile unions affiliated with the United Textile Workers of America.

COINCIDENT FIRES

The more the recent fires in Worcester are studied, the more mysterious they seem. That circumstances should have combined to produce a number of very destructive fires, widely scattered at the same time, is passing strange. That two of them were due to the work of an insane man and another to the neglect of a watchman who fell asleep, seems to be demonstrated; but there is no explanation of how the others were started. Some suspected an incendiary plot by the Reds, but federal officers after a full investigation, have decided that there was no foundation for any such assumption. Neither were the other fires due to brands from those of incendiary origin. The whole affair presents an instance of coincident fires such as rarely occurs even in the largest cities; yet it presents a form of dangerous emergency for which every well equipped fire department must be prepared.

For this glorious weather we have reason to be grateful to a kind Providence. Yesterday was as mild as a day in May although in the evening there came a flurry of snow as if to assert that winter had not departed; and oh, what a bright and silvery moonlight! Yet on such a day and such a night there are people who were unhappy from their own inability to enjoy the beauties of Nature so lavishly strewn around them.

Prison Commissioner Sanford Bates is finding fault with one of the county sheriffs for having loaned prisoners to friends to work for them. It is scarcely necessary to state that the official is a shining light of the G. O.P. and is following a custom of leaders of his party in making his official position a "loan agency" for his own profit.

If Charles M. Schwab, a dollar-a-year man, received $260,000 from the government, it seems a reasonable conclusion from facts that are known that he was exceedingly tender with Uncle Sam compared with some of his associates in recouping himself for his services to the government. But we are inclined to doubt the truth of this charge against Schwab.

"Can a man save souls while wearing brass buttons and swinging a night stick?" asks the Boston Herald. Judging from conditions in Lowell, in these days of supposed prohibition, we should think that most members of the force might have a sufficiently troublesome job on their hands looking out for their own souls.

We should think that the bronze statue of Samuel Adams, in Adams square, Boston, would feel like leaving its granite pedestal, and doing something forcible to Prof. Charles Zueblin if the shade of Mr. Adams should learn that the professor has been classing him with the wild-eyed socialists of today.

Colonel Theodore Roosevelt has introduced a bill in the New York legislature providing an exemption of $500 from the income tax for each child born to a couple. Governor Miller, it is said, has seven reasons for approving the bill—they are all daughters.

It may be one way to attract men to the better life to advertise a man as a public speaker as one who has a long criminal record and who has, among other things robbed and beaten his wife, but there will be some people old-fashioned enough to connect such exhibitions with schools of crime.

A news item conveys the information that "the Indians are being stirred to savage customs by jazz music and the 'shimmy.'" A desire to use the tomahawk on persons responsible for these modern innovations has been stirred in the breasts of persons who are not Indians.

It may be necessary for Commissioner Murphy to economize in the street department, but it is difficult to understand that running an empty cart up and down Central street, with no one to gather the waste to put into it, is a satisfactory way of doing it.

The statutes say that there must be a polling place for each one thousand voters and the way in which the [illegible] date has been violated in Lowell [illegible] states once more that between a law without teeth and no law at all, there is often not a great deal of difference.

Marion Davies, a New York girl, has been picked by an [illegible] artist as the "perfect blonde," and he [illegible] her pictures indicate that she is [illegible] anxious to keep her light hidden under a bushel.

The Dutch claim that they have not ordered the kaiser to "move on" as a consequence of his [illegible], but that is not saying that they have not had [illegible] cause for doing so.

We [illegible] the [illegible] hall on [illegible] see no objection [illegible] Kernan of the [illegible] department, that one be opened on the South common under proper direction.

Life continues to be one blessed [illegible] after another—first the worry over prospective empty coal bins, and now over the possibility of a failure of the ice crop.

"Administration Falling [illegible] [illegible] for the rest of us to follow.

SEEN AND HEARD

All are not angels who harp.

Doc. Bartlett says people who eat in lunch carts should not throw stones at dogs.

Brooklyn woman asks $1,000,000 from her rival because she stole her husband. Whoever heard of a husband worth $1,000,000?

New York legislature has two bills to jail theatre ticket scalpers, indicating that some aldermen were recently refused passes.

Tom Wasn't Sure

Tom Green, who owned a donkey and cart, fell into a drunken sleep by the wayside and some one stole the donkey.

When he awoke he rubbed his eyes and looked at the name on the cart. "If my name's Tom Green," he said, "I've lost a donkey. If it isn't, I've found a fine cart."

"Of Such Is the Kingdom"

Four thousand miles over the sea
The voices of mothers are crying
A summons to you and to me:
"Our children, our children are dying!

"We toil, but of food there is none,
With famine our countries are stricken,
But what have our little ones done,
That thus they should hunger and sicken?

"Oh, you in a bounteous land,
Oh, you gentle fathers and mothers,
We plead that you may understand
The pitiful need of these others.

"Our babies who moan in their pain,
Our pale little toddlers we cherish,
We plead, may it not be in vain,
Give—give to them, give or they perish

"They are not to blame for their need,
Their woe, or their land's desolation;
Oh, great-hearted people, give heed,
Save, save them from bitter starvation!

"Oh, give to our little ones, bread,
Made richer with love's precious leaven,
Remember the Savior, who said
Of such is the kingdom of heaven."

—BURTON BRALEY.

MAN ABOUT TOWN

Touches of gay color such as haven't been seen in the shop windows since the Christmas holidays, are now beginning to appear in honor of the coming of February 14. And if you have to think a moment before you remember just what February 14 means, you'd better tune up your heart. For on February 14 is celebrated the day when disciples of affection's patron saint, good St. Valentine, send far and wide their good wishes to friends and dear ones. Pause for a few minutes before the window of any Lowell stationery store, and you'll find it filled with bright red paper hearts, golden arrows, dainty pasteboard flowers, and prettily tinted cards bearing messages of love and good-will. You'll find, perhaps, a little child, nose pressed against the pane, eyes big with wonder and anticipation. For while many-hued valentines may be only pasteboard and dyes to some, they are far, far more to youngsters. For youngsters are incurably romantic. Now here's what the Man About Town suggests. Instead of stalking straight ahead on your way down town tomorrow, take a little time to see the window displays of valentines. You'll be surprised to find how cheery they will make you. If you gaze long enough you will find yourself inside the store, selecting big, gorgeous ones, with marvelous shades, for that little girl of your old friend Harry, that little girl who must be five or six years of age now, and who will go into raptures over the simple gift. Then the clerk will be forced to trot out the biggest one he has in stock for that sweetheart of yours, or that wife, which is the same thing with all true-hearted men. Then there must be a choice one for your mother, one which expresses some tender sentiment of gratitude and endearment. Somehow you will find that you are as enthusiastic about this holiday, as the most romantic kiddie that ever dreamed of fairy princes and enchanted maidens. And good St. Valentine will smile merrily at the acquisition of another devotee.

We read that in the good old days, politeness brought as much pleasure to the doer of a kind act as to the recipient thereof. Men and women were always on the alert to perform some friendly and courteous deed, not for any gain, but for pure joy of the thing. Sometimes we are inclined to believe that all of such charming ideas have vanished with the advent of jammed street-cars, bustling city streets, and the mad scramble in which we all must share against our old friend, H.C.L. But here's just one of the many instances which sharp eyes may discover, and which reassure us when we are lamenting the lack of kindliness as a dead virtue. A little fellow whose clothes, though scrupulously clean, bore indubitable evidences of long, long wear, was making his way along the street directly in front of me. A lady, burdened with bundles which apparently represented the weekly shopping, [illegible] one of her packages to the sidewalk and continued on her way without noticing the loss. Instantly the boy had picked it up and raced after her until he had attracted her attention and restored her parcel. I stopped, ostensibly to view a window display, but really to see what would happen next. The lady thanked the little chap profusely, and then suddenly, as if moved to the impulse by his pleasant face and courteous manner, she said, "Here, little boy, you hold these bundles of mine. I want to give you some spare pennies that I have in my purse. I have known little boys who, if they picked up someone's bundle, would run in the opposite direction from that of the owner."

The [illegible] had removed his [illegible] cap when he handed the [illegible] his [illegible] must be told. [illegible] of a father [illegible] he protested [illegible] for that."

[illegible] I want to give you these pennies [illegible] the lady who was more [illegible] them because of his [illegible] refusal."

"[illegible]," he persevered. "[illegible] my mama says I should do little acts of kindness because that's the only way to be happy [illegible] and not for any other reason. [illegible] I want to tell her about [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] little gentleman." [illegible] and your mother has good cause to be proud of you. God bless you." And she passed on while the boy replaced the poor cap upon his [illegible] and continued his way [illegible] there's plenty of [illegible] and kindliness in the world [illegible] as I watched him [illegible] If you only look for it. Perhaps the reason why [illegible] is so much rudeness [illegible] for it, [illegible] acts of politeness go unnoticed."

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SALE of these unclaimed and repaired articles still GOING ON, at

RICARD'S

123 CENTRAL ST.

IN THE POLICE COURT

Men and Women Taken From Franklin Street House Fined and Sentenced

Alvin W. Wilford and Joseph M. Swofford were fined $75, Mary Day was sentenced to the women's reformatory, Rose E. V. Geroux was sent to jail for six months, and her daughter, Victoria Geroux, 18 years of age, was given a year's suspended reformatory sentence, today in the police court on charges of improper conduct in a house in Franklin street.

Police officers testified to entering the house in the early hours of Sunday morning and finding the three women and the two men, together with a 16-year-old boy, the son of Rose Geroux. The defendants all pleaded guilty to the charges preferred against them, but urged extenuating circumstances. Swofford, whose home is in Oklahoma and who is a clergyman's son, and Wilford appealed their fines, and the women also appealed. The men were discharged from the army some time ago, but still wore their uniforms.

Carried Revolver

Karle J. Azarowski, fined $100 today in the police court on charges of carrying a revolver without a permit, declared himself unable to pay, until it had been explained to him that failure to do so would result in 200 days in jail. When he had gained an understanding of this fact, he found that he had been mistaken in stating his inability to pay. Two local young men, George F. Santry and John Connors, appeared as witnesses against Azarowski. They testified that he was using profane language at the post-office, and that they requested him to refrain from so doing, especially in view of the fact that a portion of his remarks were directed towards a young lady bystander. He then, they stated, produced a revolver and pursued them. The defendant offered as an explanation for his conduct the fact that some boys had jostled him, causing him to give vent to the utterances charged.

Drunken Offenders

The usual Monday morning array of drunkenness cases was heard this morning. An even dozen were released without coming to trial.

Dominick Laba was fined $5 on this charge, after being arrested, released, and rearrested. A charge of larceny of 40 pounds of meat was dismissed. Witnesses who appeared against Laba were unable to identify him as the alleged thief.

A young man who appeared in court with his head swathed in bandages was given a suspended sentence of six months in the house of correction. He has a wife and two children and was recently released after serving a three months' term. His wife testified that he had been doing well during his three weeks of freedom, and pleaded for another chance for him. This was accorded, despite the fact that force was necessary in arresting, and that when a physician sought to sew a cut in his scalp received when he resisted the officer who took him to the station house, he caused a tumult. Four officers were needed to hold him, and handcuffs were also called into requisition in subduing him in order that his injuries might be attended to.

A four months' suspended house of correction sentence was imposed on Charles A. Benard, charged with drunkenness. It was testified that Benard has been in a more or less continual state of intoxication during the past three months. He had, it was stated, intimidated his family to such an extent that they finally sent for the police officers, who made the arrest. Benard was on a rampage when they arrived, and had caused damage to the household furniture by his violence.

When charged with abusing his people, he denied this, but conceded that he "might have been a little rough on them."

Peter Wasylak drew a three months' suspended sentence, also on a drunkenness charge, and was warned by Judge Enright that another breach of the peace on his part would mean a term in jail. Officers went to his house at the request of his wife and family, whom he was charged with threatening. When asked why he had been guilty of abusive conduct towards his family, he replied that he had been drunk and remembered nothing about what happened. Wasylak has already been in court on non-support charges, and is paying his wife $5 weekly on the order of the court.

Cases Continued

The case of Henry Furnell, charged with assault and battery, was continued to tomorrow. Bail was fixed at $1000.

Frank Wegory, charged with assault upon his wife, Cecylia Wegory, will be heard January 29.

John Keras, arrested on a capias for larceny, was held in $200 bonds for a hearing tomorrow.

Albert K. Jenkins, charged with the larceny of $43.90, will have a hearing March 9.

Arthur Woolies as Nanki Poo, Mikado—Adv.

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CHOKED TO DEATH

Meat Sticking in Throat Has Fatal Result

Entering a room in which his brother and a friend were sitting, George H. Austin, 48 years old, collapsed without a word and died before a physician could reach him. A piece of meat stuck in the man's throat was discovered by Medical Examiner Thomas B. Smith, after the body had been removed to Saunders' funeral home, Appleton street.

Austin, who resided at 22 Daly street, where his brother and another man shared rooms with him, was eating supper in his kitchen and entered the adjoining room apparently in search of assistance. Dr. H. Ginsburg was summoned, but his speedy arrival was too late to save Austin, whom he pronounced dead. Austin, who was a farm-hand, is believed to have relatives in Billerica.

SOLDIERS ENTERTAINED

In Town Hall at Pepperell by Lowell Entertainers Under Auspices of the American Legion

Through the combined efforts of the American Legion Ladies' auxiliary and a committee representing the American Legion another entertainment was given in the town hall at Pepperell Friday evening for the sick and wounded soldiers convalescing at the Pepperell hospital.

These organizations have been very generous in the past in providing entertainers for the war sufferers and their efforts Friday night were equally well received and appreciated by the service men. Such entertainments serve to break the monotony of life in a hospital and bring cheer to the boys who fought for all of us and are now unfit to carry on the work they left in entering the fight.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hewitt, of the Legion and Ladies' auxiliary, respectively, were in charge of the entertainment. Those who entertained were Miss Marion Kennedy, soloist, accompanied by Mrs. James J. Powers, wife of Commander Powers, Jack McArdle, jokester and versatile entertainer; Joseph McDermott, soloist; Jack McArdle and Miss Kennedy, song and dance.

Through the kindness and courtesy of Mr. Phillips of Dyer and Phillips company an automobile was provided for transportation of the entertainers between Lowell and Pepperell.

BROADWAY CLUB

Will Hold "Ladies' Night—Committee on Arrangements Appointed at Meeting Held Yesterday

A "ladies' night" will be held by the Broadway Social and Athletic association at the Kasino Jan. 27, as the result of a vote taken by the organization at a meeting yesterday afternoon. The following committee members for the affair were appointed: Thomas Keefe, Joseph Sheehy, Daniel Riley, James Spillane, John Mullin, John Ashe, Stephen Shugrue, James Flannery, Martin McCahill and Bernard Callery.

Vice President George Lynch presided at the meeting, which took place at the Broadway rooms of the club. The financial secretary and the treasurer read promising reports.

Asked To Withdraw Resignations

SANTIAGO, Chile, Jan. 23.—Withdrawal of resignations tendered by members of the cabinet last week, owing to the refusal of the senate to approve government proposals that Victor Robles be appointed minister to both Japan and China has been requested of members of the ministry by President Alessandri. The president asserts the incident appears to be the result of a simple diversity of opinion and declares he has been assured the senate's action did not constitute a manifestation that it lacked confidence toward Jorge Matte, foreign minister, whose resignation was followed by that of other members of the cabinet.

Few Words With Gang Cost Man His Life

SOMERVILLE, Jan. 24.—A few words with a street corner gang cost James McCall his life. Leaving the home of a friend in Cambridge last night with another man, he encountered the gang a block or two away. Words were exchanged and blows followed. McCall and his companion continued their walk but were pursued by the gang and overtaken near his home. The quarrel was renewed, another altercation resulted and McCall was felled, fracturing his skull as he struck the sidewalk. He died in a hospital early today. The Somerville police called on the Cambridge authorities to assist in the search for the gangsters.

Vast Crowds Thrilled By Bull Fights

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 23.—A vast crowd which packed the Plaza de Toros today was thrilled by a spectacular exhibition by four bull fighters. All four matadors were caught by the bulls at various times and escaped injury only by their agility. Time and again they were called upon to use every art in dispatching the several bulls. So pleased were the spectators with the performance that each bull fighter was awarded ears and tails and when the corrida ended they were carried from the ring on the shoulders of their admirers. The bull fighting season in Mexico City closes the last of February. More than 450,000 persons have attended the 15 corridas held thus far.

Grapple For Big Auto In Chicago River

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—A big black automobile which is believed to have held six persons when it plunged into the South branch of the Chicago river Saturday night, was sought by police with grappling hooks today. Thomas Hanlon, watchman for an engineering company nearby, told the police he watched the automobile traveling at high speed when it swerved off 22nd street and plunged into 18 feet of water.

Report De Valera in Paris

PARIS, Jan. 24.—Sean O'Ceallaigh, representative here of the Sinn Fein today refused to confirm or deny reports received here from London that Eamonn de Valera is in Paris. "I have nothing to say about it," said O'Ceallaigh, "but it might not do any harm to have a look around. You never can tell whom you might find."

Carson Not to Accept Premiership

LONDON, Jan. 24.—Sir Edward Carson is expected to refuse the premiership of the province of Ulster and also intimate his withdrawal from Irish affairs when he receives an Ulster delegation tomorrow, says the Daily Mail. He will continue his interest in Ireland, the newspaper declares, "simply as a well wisher from England."

Gen. Garibaldi at Vera Cruz

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 24.—General Giuseppi (Peppino) Garibaldi, grandson of the famous Italian patriot, arrived in Vera Cruz yesterday on the steamer Flandre and was expected to reach this city today. His trip is to repay the visit of Felix F. Palayacini, special Mexican envoy to Rome late last year.

Brines On Trial For Murder

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 24.—William P. Brines, University of Pennsylvania sophomore went on trial today charged with killing Elmer C. Drewes, Dartmouth senior.

Spanish Cabinet Resigns

MADRID, Jan. 24.—The cabinet of Premier Dato resigned today.

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Guaranteed Hair Nets of real human hair in all shades, Aristo brand. Regular 10c value, at 5c — 60¢ Dozen

Guaranteed HOT WATER BOTTLES 69c

Favorite Sewing Cotton; regular 5c value. Sale price .... 6 for 19¢

Supreme Pins, full 300 count; regular 10c value. Sale price .... 8¢

Hooks and Eyes; regular 5c value. Sale price, 2 for 7¢

Steel Scissors; regular 59c value. Sale price, only .... 47¢

Lingerie Tape, in blue, pink and white; regular 10c value. Sale price .... 2 for 15¢

Invisible Hairpins; regular 5c value. Sale price .... 2 for 7¢

Mother's Ironing Wax; regular 10c value. Sale price .... 7¢

Coat Hangers; regular 10c value. Sale price .... 3 for 20¢

West Electric Wavers, 5 on card; regular 25c value. Sale price .... 21¢

Mending Cotton, in black and white; regular 9c value. Sale price .... 5¢

Sanitary Napkins, 9 in box; regular 39c value. Sale price .... 30¢

Hairpin Cabinets; regular 10c value. Sale price .... 7¢

Darners; regular 10c value. Sale price, 5¢

Holdfast Linen Thread; regular 10c value. Sale price .... 2 for 15¢

Pearl Buttons, 12 on card; regular 10c value. Sale price .... 7¢

Embroidery Edging; regular 25c value. Sale price .... 19¢

Silko Crochet Cotton; regular 15c value. Sale price .... 2 for 25¢

Baby Dimple Safety Pins; regular 10c value. Sale price .... 7¢

Black and White Belting; regular 25c value. Sale price .... 19¢ Yard

Black and White Fasteners; regular 7c value. Sale price .... 2 for 7¢

Dyflake, a fast dye in pure soap flakes, all colors; regular 10c value. Sale price, 6¢

Trimming Beads, in all colors; regular 10c value. Sale price .... 3 for 25¢

Combination Middy Sets, composed of eagle, stars and lace braid, in red, white and navy; regular 29c value. Sale price 23¢

Children's Improved Waists, weight rests entirely on shoulders which means health, comfort and durability; regular 79c value. Sale price .... 65¢

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS
by Olive Roberts Barton.

"THE LOBSTER'S PLAN"

"And now," said the big lobster, when Nancy and Nick had eaten their lunch in the under-sea palace of the Bobadil Jinn, "won't you tell me your story? I've got a few minutes to spare."

So the twins told about their travels, how they were on an errand to rescue the toys Snitcher Snatch had stolen from Santa Claus at the North Pole, and how the wicked Jinn was doing all he could to prevent them from continuing their journey.

"That's too bad!" said the lobster. "I'm no friend of the Jinn's, myself, although I am cooking for him. He says that if I don't do it, he'll cause a volcano to boil the ocean and that means the end of me. I can't stand hot water. So I just say, 'Heigh-ho,' and keep on. Let's see! Where did you say that you left your box with all your charms in it?"

"Outside the wall, under a big cockleshell," said Nancy. "We could get it if we had our Magic Green Shoes but they have disappeared."

"Oh," said the lobster, "what a pity you haven't a flat tail. They are so convenient. They let you swim inwards and backwards and any old way, always keeping two eyes open behind you. I don't know what I should do without mine." Then suddenly he exclaimed: "I have it! I shall get you the carved box myself! I can get over the high wall in a minute, hunt your box and be back before the Jinn gets home for his supper. He will come back from his Ice Palace at the North Pole on the Northern Lights, sliding the whole way on their golden beams. He'll be on time tonight, because he will be wishing to know if you are safe. And now I've another idea. Suppose you both get on my back. I'll ride you over the wall."

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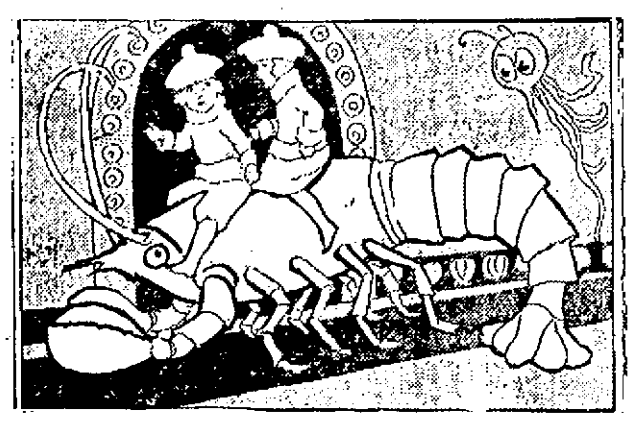

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No. 186	DOUBLE BOILERS	3.10	2.33
No. 187	COFFEE POTS	3.50	2.72
No. 188	GRIDDLES	5.50	4.23
No. 189	WATER KETTLES	3.15	2.37
No. 190	STEW PANS	7.00	5.25
No. 191	SAUCE PANS	1.05	.79
No. 192	SAUCE PANS	1.70	1.28
No. 193	STEW PANS	1.60	1.20
No. 194	FRYING PANS	1.30	.98
No. 195	FRYING PANS	2.65	1.99
No. 196	JELLY CAKE PANS	.75	.57
No. 197	PIE PLATES	.72	.54
No. 198	PRESERVING KETTLES	2.90	2.18
No. 199	PRESERVING KETTLES	3.10	2.33
No. 200	CAKE PANS	1.40	1.05
No. 201	BISCUIT PANS	1.40	1.05
No. 202	SAUCE PANS	2.35	1.77
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No. 204	WASH BASINS	1.10	.83
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ASSAILS PUPILS' DANCES

Pastor Babcock, in Name of Morality, Protests Against High School Functions

Protesting in the name of morality, Pastor Edward Babcock delivered a scathing denunciation of dances conducted in the name of and by the pupils of the high school in a sermon in the First Baptist church last night. His remarks were a prelude to his regular sermon. He said that many parents strongly object to the social functions and believe that the "dance is evil and only evil." He asserted that patronesses and teachers cannot act as chaperons to hundreds of young people, and that if there are to be chaperons they should be provided to accompany every girl from and to her home as well as during the dancing.

In part Pastor Babcock spoke as follows:

"In the high school life of Lowell as in many other cities, a senior class ball and other formal evening dances have become settled customs. Now there is added to these, certain recess dances on occasional days in the high school building.

Against Evening Dances

"Tonight I voice my protest first, against the formal high school dances—evening dances—given for and by high school students, and in the name of the school or some school organization.

"I protest against these dances in behalf of the student.

"I protest because of the waste of time in preparing for, and attendance on, that which is not recreation, but dissipation.

"I protest because of the waste of mental energy. The high school dance, more than any other, furnishes a continued period of emotional excitement in preparation, in anticipation, in the actual dance with its unseasonable hours, and in continued conversational recollections. No student can be held for days and weeks at high emotional tension without greatly decreasing intellectual power. The high school dance introduces many students to the dance life who otherwise would never have sought it; and so increases during the whole student life this waste of time and mental energy.

Waste of Money

"I protest because of the waste of money. At an age when our young people should be learning habits of economy, by the very demands of the high school dance they are forming a taste for extravagant expenditure. The young people who lavish money on decorations and orchestra; who are made to believe that though they have no dollar producing capacity, they should spend money like princes; who must have provided dress conforming to the dictates of an extravagant society as if they were as old as their elders, instead of dependent children; must ride in their hired carriages to and fro;—will these ever again find satisfaction in simple pleasures? Are they not rather being robbed of the possibility of the keenest zest in pleasure? And are they learning lessons in economy through lavish outlay, accompanied by the excitement of the dance?

In Name of Parents

"I protest also in behalf of many parents.

"In some cities the question of permitting a dance to be given in the name of a class of the high school, has been submitted to the parents of the members of that class, and in every instance known to me, the vote has been adverse, usually overwhelmingly so. Many parents are aggrieved because of the expense they cannot afford, but must undertake in order to provide a few hours' pleasure for their children who will not be denied. Many parents who cannot possibly provide the means for this dissipation are grieved by the sense of social ostracism that grips the hearts of their children. Many parents are grieved because of conscience. The Puritans protested because of the outrages against morals and decency perpetrated in their day in the dances. From that day until very recent days, all people who have been deepest students of the problem of saving our boys and girls have dreaded the dance. Many parents have an inborn, ingrained belief that the dance is evil and only evil. Their conscience sits in judgment on this matter, and they are grieved at heart that their children should be tempted through the public school. This may be called old fogyism. But these people have their rights, and one of these rights is that the public school should not by an established custom in a school function, tempt their children to what they believe is sin.

Regrettable Flirtations

"These dances in other cities have seen the beginning of many a regrettable flirtation and the occasion of many a regrettable incident. Unless Lowell has had a different history than other high schools, then in the wake of these dances in this city has followed a train of evils. Shall we satisfy our souls by saying, 'Tis true, 'tis pity, 'tis, 'tis true.' Rather say, 'Let us up, and end the custom so fraught with danger.'

Jimmie Donahue is Pee-Bah, Mikado.—Adv.

Sponges

Full of holes but wholly good.

Florida Sheepswool Sponges, for auto washing. Original weight, Ounce 60c

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"One day a friend persuaded my wife to take Tanlac and the results have been nothing less than wonderful. Her troubles have not only entirely disappeared, but she has actually gained twenty pounds in weight and now seems to be in perfect health. She has suffered for eight years with headaches, nervousness and loss of appetite and was in a badly run-down condition. She could not eat much, had pains all through her body and limbs and was so weak at times she could hardly stand on her feet. She was losing weight and gradually getting worse all the time in spite of all we could do.

"After seeing the splendid results my wife was getting I began taking Tanlac myself and before I had finished my second bottle I was eating things I had not dared touch before in a long time! I am now eating just anything set before me and my appetite is fine. I suffered for five years with the worst kind of stomach trouble and nervous indigestion, but it has relieved me entirely. We both owe Tanlac a great debt of gratitude."

The above enthusiastic statement was made recently by Herbert O. Peters, well known citizen of Kansas City, Missouri, residing at 531 Walnut street.

Tanlac is sold in Lowell by Greens drug store, under the personal direction of a special Tanlac representative, by Wright Drug Co., Billerica, Mass., and by the leading druggist in every town.—Adv.

PREPARE FOR BIG MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Plans for the huge membership drive were laid Saturday evening at the regular meeting of the Crescent Hill association, held in the rooms of the organization. The drive will be followed by a closing of the charter, and work on the projected new clubhouse.

Thomas F. Garvey, Jr., John McHale, Edward Descoteaux, James Manning, Fred Burke, and Richard Casey were appointed team captains for the enterprise of securing new members, and ten assistant workers were selected by each of these. The teams obtaining the two largest numbers of recruits to the association will be awarded prizes.

The executive board and board of trustees will hold a joint meeting Thursday evening to consider the formation of a voluntary benefit association, as a result of a vote of the members. It was also voted to invite the Woodbine Social association to participate on a bowling, card, and pool tournament as guests of the association. The president and athletic committee will handle arrangements for this affair, the object of which is to foster friendly relations between the city's social organizations.

Other business of the meeting included the admission of two members, the reception of an application, reports by the various boards and committees, and the election of Rene Levesque as sergeant-at-arms.

TWO-IN-ONE ANDERSON

So successful has been the demonstration of the two-in-one Anderson car at the Auburn Motor company on Thorndike street, that the local agent, G. W. Morrison, has decided to extend the special offer which he made for the auto show week.

That it is possible for a car to be a classy roadster at one moment and in less than a minute be transformed into as classy a touring car, can be readily demonstrated with this car.

Fish Tush as Jas. Macdonald Mikado.—Adv.

When a Moro gives a dinner party the repast is spread upon a floor covered with banana leaves.

Mrs. Hazel Rounds Tells How Cuticura Healed Pimples

"I was troubled with pimples on my face and arms which would itch and burn terrible, and sometimes I could not sleep nights. They were festered and scaled over, and I could not wear long sleeved dresses because the cloth aggravated them and made them worse.

"I tried several different remedies without any results. Seeing an advertisement for Cuticura Soap and Ointment I sent for a free sample and was relieved so much I bought more. In less than a month I was completely healed and I only used one cake of Cuticura Soap and half a box of Cuticura Ointment." (Signed) Mrs. Hazel Rounds, Freedom, New Hampshire.

Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Talcum promote and maintain skin purity, skin comfort and skin health often when all else fails.

Sample Each Free by Mail. Address: "Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. K, Malden 48, Mass." Sold everywhere. Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c. Talcum 25c.

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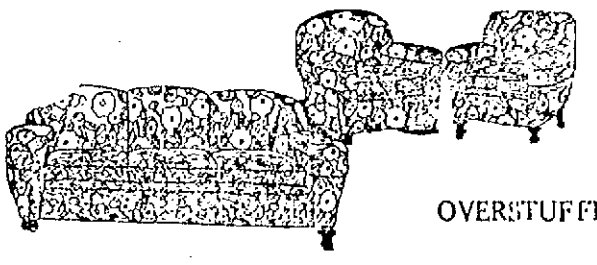
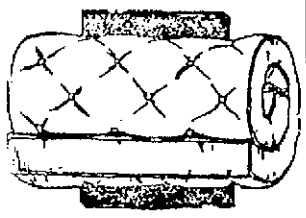
February Furniture Sale



OVERSTUFFED SUITES

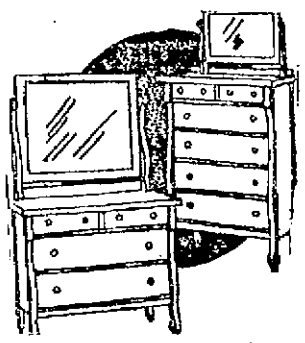
A Really Wonderful Suite of quality and comfort, three large pieces, Chair, Davenport and Rocker with spring arms, spring seat, back and spring edge, upholstered in highest grade of figured velour; $450.00 value. February Furniture Sale $250.00

HAIR MATTRESSES



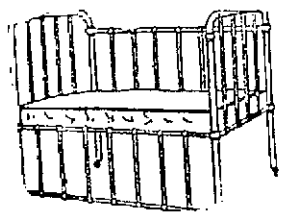
Made of pure, sanitary, long black hair, 45 pounds in weight, covered with best grade heavy striped ticking, all sizes. February Furniture Sale.... $25

DRESSER and CHIFFONIER



Quartered Oak Dresser or Chiffonier, well made and finished, rich colonial design, with shaped top, drawers and large mirror; $65 value. February Furniture Sale..... $35

CHILD'S CRIB



All Iron Crib, built extra strong, with high safety sides and ends; soft, comfortable spring that will not rust; white enamel finish; $20.00 value. February Furniture Sale $12.50

UPHOLSTERED ROCKER

Large, comfortable, high back, wing rocker, with loose cushion spring seat and spring back, upholstered in high grade tapestry; $60.00 value. February Furniture Sale $35

SILK FLOSS MATTRESS

Guaranteed 100% pure silk floss, full weight and thickness, covered in high-grade ticking, all sizes. February Furniture Sale $16.50

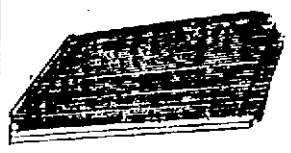
DRESSER

Mahogany or Walnut Finished Dresser, with a large mirror and deep drawers; $42.50 value. February Furniture Sale $27.50

BUFFET

Beautiful Figured Quartered Oak Buffet of colonial design. Has large French plate mirror, large drawers and cupboards and lined silver drawer; $70.50 value. February Furniture Sale $52.50

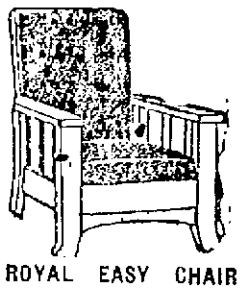
BED SPRINGS



The celebrated "Wishbone" spring, made of the very best steel obtainable and enameled; a sanitary grey baked on by electricity; durable, comfortable spring, all sizes. February Furniture Sale $7.98

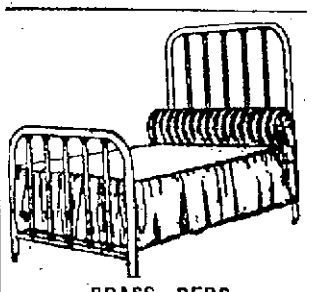
COUCH BED

The famous "Dream Couch Bed," made of heavy striped steel tubing; best National spring, with best quality white felt mattress; easily operated; $40 value. February Furniture Sale $28.50



ROYAL EASY CHAIR

The Famous Royal Easy Chair, reclines to any desired position, has concealed foot rest that may be used or put out of the way as you will; the easiest easy chair made; mahogany and fumed oak finish; $40 value. February Furniture Sale $25.00



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$40 value. February Furniture Sale $25.00

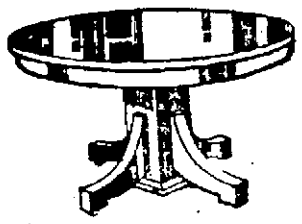
$45 value. February Furniture Sale $30.00

$50 value. February Furniture Sale $32.50

$55 value. February Furniture Sale $35.00

$65 value. February Furniture Sale $45.00

DINING TABLE



Solid Oak Table, with 45-inch quartered oak top that extends to 6 feet; has heavy colonial base, with heavy shaped legs, nicely finished; $45.00 value. February Furniture Sale $32.50

CHAIR OR ROCKER

Heavy mahogany finished frames with fine cane back and soft spring seat covered in high grade velour—chair and rocker. $25.00 value. February Furniture Sale $15.50

MISSION SUITE

Solid oak suite of three pieces, chair, settee and rocker, rich fumed finish with high back, wide arms and deep spring seats. $60.00 value. February Furniture Sale $41.50

CHAMBER SUITE

An exceptionally well made suite, Queen Anne style, consisting of four pieces: Dresser, chifferette, toilet table and full size bed. American walnut or mahogany finish. $350 value. February Furniture Sale $225

COTTON MATTRESS

Made throughout of absolutely clean white cotton, full weight thickness and made with a heavy roll edge. Covered in high grade ticking, all sizes. February Furniture Sale $8.98

MATTRESS

Sanitary soft top and bottom mattress, made of all new and clean materials, covered in good grade ticking. February Furniture Sale $4.75

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SMITH-TOWNER BILL

Natl. Catholic Welfare Council Approves Its Aims But Condemns Its Methods

The National Catholic Welfare council has issued the following statement in reference to the Smith-Towner education bill before congress:

This bill in its present form was introduced in congress in May, 1919. Hearings on it were held before a joint committee of the house and the senate in July of the same year. Attempts were made to have it endorsed by the republican convention in Chicago and by the democratic convention in San Francisco. These attempts were not successful, but strenuous efforts are being made by its supporters to have it passed during the present session of congress.

Provisions

I. The bill provides for the establishment of a federal department of education with a secretary of education, who shall be a member of the president's cabinet. Said department is to undertake investigations regarding illiteracy, education of immigrants, public school education, especially rural education, physical education, preparation of teachers for the public schools, and such other matters as, in the judgment of the secretary of education, may require attention and study.

II. The bill further provides that congress shall appropriate annually the sum of one hundred million dollars to encourage the states in the promotion and support of education. This money is to be apportioned to the states for the purposes noted above as fields of investigation to be undertaken by the department of education. Each state is free to accept or reject federal aid. In case of acceptance the state shall contribute out of its own funds an amount equal to that which it receives through apportionment from the federal government; the so-called dollar-for-dollar plan.

III. The bill provides that "all the educational facilities encouraged by the provisions of this act and accepted by a state shall be organized, supervised and administered exclusively by the legally constituted state and local educational authorities of said state." On the the other hand, it lies with the secretary of education to determine whether or not the apportionment made to each state is being expended in accordance with the provisions of the act. Should he decide that the state is not carrying out these provision, he is authorized to withhold the appropriation.

We hold that it is desirable to accomplish the purposes set forth in the bill and noted above. We are as eager as anyone else to eliminate illiteracy, to educate immigrants, to provide for the right sort of physical training. In particular we realize the necessity of preparing competent teachers and of securing adequate compensation for all who are engaged as teachers.

We recognize the utility and even the necessity of extending federal aid to the states under certain conditions. It is not, therefore, a question of approving or condemning such aid as a matter of principle, but rather of discriminating between cases in which it would be wise to extend federal aid and other cases in which it would be unwise and contrary to the best interests of the nation.

Briefly, we approve the educational aims set forth in the Smith-Towner bill; we object to the method by which it proposes to attain them.

1st. The Smith-Towner bill is another step towards centralization. However it may, in its wording, restrict the power of the department of education, it establishes the most effectual sort of control, i. e., the financial obligation under which it puts the states. The proposed secretary of education would control the expenditure, not only of the money appropriated to the state by the federal government but also of the money which the state is required to contribute in amount equivalent to the federal appropriation.

2nd. The result of this measure will be to make the state depend more and more on the federal government, not only on matters of national import, but also in matters which concern the state itself. There is no surer way of destroying state autonomy than to give over to the federal government, even in part, the state's responsibility in the matter of education.

3rd. Whatever money is appropriated by the federal government must come out of the pockets of the people. It is a question of internal revenue. If this revenue be used to aid any particular state, the amount so appropriated must come in part at least from the other states. And since the bulk of the revenue is paid in by the more prosperous states, the result will be that they are obliged to settle the educational bills of the less prosperous states.

4th. Another effect of the bill will be to create a tendency on the part of the states to neglect their duty in the matter of public education. The annual appropriations now made by each state and now increased every year, will be made only large enough to secure the federal grant. If this bill becomes a law. Therefore, home interest as well as home rule in education will be seriously lessened.

5th. The secretary of education and his subordinates will be political appointees. They will change with the change of administration. Naturally, they will follow their political preferences in organizing the department and shaping its policies. They will always have in view the possibility of using the educational system in furtherance of their own partisan interests. The public-school system will become a vast political machine. And this politico-educational machine will give a federal administration the opportunity of creating an educational autocracy—really endangering the liberty of thought and information, which is a basic right of the people.

We propose, therefore, the following measures as substitutes for those of the Smith-Towner bill:

A. To establish a federal agency or commission which shall investigate educational problems of national scope and significance, obtain and disseminate information that will be useful to the schools, point out defects and suggest remedies, devise objective standards of educational efficiency and progress, and thereby stimulate the people and the educational agencies in each state to better effort in behalf of education.

B. To let each state provide out of its own funds what is needed for the educational purposes above mentioned. Even in the poorer states, education can be aided by wise and much needed economies in the expenditures of public funds.

With the present national debt, enormous taxes and the cost of all commodities, it would certainly be unwise for congress to lay an extra burden of one hundred million dollars annually on the people at large. The increase will really amount to two hundred millions, if all the states match the federal appropriation. This means at a 4 per cent rate of interest, an addition of five billion dollars to the national debt. When retrenchment is imperatively demanded in every department of government, it would be unjust to make the burden of taxation still heavier—especially as the expenditure would involve consequences detrimental to education and to state autonomy.

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BELFAST, Jan. 24.—One constable was killed and another wounded by unknown persons Saturday night while they were on their way from Clones, County Monaghan to the scene of a burglary.

Three constables were fired on while proceeding to the barracks at Monaghan. Two were killed and one was seriously wounded.

The body of a former soldier named Denis Dyer was found Saturday on the roadside near Bandon. A label was pinned to his clothes. It said that he had been condemned as a spy.

Two farmers, William Elliott and William Charter, were kidnapped Saturday. Elliott's body later being found in a bog near Bellinulee. No trace has been found of Charter.

Dublin Castle reports that three men who resided in County Galway were shot dead Saturday while attempting to evade arrest.

Two constables who had been shot dead and another who had been wounded were found Saturday night lying on the Road Stranooden.

Buildings Seized

DUBLIN, Jan. 24.—All the buildings in Palace stret, which overlooks the main entrance to Dublin castle, have been commandeered by the military. The residents of the buildings have been ordered to quit their premses before next Thursday.

Constable Johnston who was wounded in an attack on the Parnell bridge in Cork, died yesterday.

To Learn Sentiment

CORK, Jan. 24.—"The Sinn Feiners are as far as ever from any intention of accepting the partition act though it is probable they may be prepared to use the electoral machinery thus provided to ascertain the sentiment of the people," said Professor Alfred O'Rahilly, registrar of the University of Cork and one of the principal leaders of the Irish movement yesterday.

"I do not doubt that the Sinn Feiners would be returned by a larger majority than in the last election," he added, "in fact the Sinn Feiners never were more united than they are today."

FORESTERS MEMBERSHIP DRIVE COMMITTEE

The big drive committee composed of the local courts of the Foresters of America met yesterday morning at 10.30 o'clock in Odd Fellows' building, Middlesex street, to hear the reports of the various sub-committees in regard to membership. The report was to the effect that many new applications had been received and the balloting will take place at the next regular meetings of the various courts. Matters pertaining to the degree work and the formation of a degree staff were discussed and Alphonse Vullerand, captain of the guards, urged all ex-service men and in fact all men who have had military training to report to him tomorrow evening at the meeting of Court Merrimack in Grafton hall, when the degree staff will start its rehearsal, the drill and rehearsal to be held immediately after the business session.

The following committee was appointed to make arrangements for a ball for the grand union meeting, which will be held next March: Deputy Thomas Quinn, Thomas Green, John Barrett, F. J. Murphy, Joseph St. Hillaire and Thomas Downing. The entertainment committee was chosen as follows: Ambrose Ready, Henry Duprez and F. J. Murphy. The secretary was instructed to notify the grand officers of the date of the grand union meeting and also to extend them an invitation to be present. Bro. Thomas Quinn reported he had already arranged for the uniforms and paraphernalia for the degree work. The meeting then adjourned until next Sunday morning.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The second half year of the high school year was begun today. Many new classes were formed for those students repeating subjects or those entering the study of new branches.

The debating society is conducting a very enthusiastic membership drive in all classes and buildings of the school. The goal for membership is set at 300 and aside from the campaign to be managed by the officers of the organization, committees will be appointed in each room of the school to manage the interests of the debating society.

Several novel signs on the membership drive have been posted throughout the school. On each is drawn a "thermometer" with the highest mark of 300 and intermediate marks at each advance of 50 members. The fee for membership in the Greenhalge debating society is 10 cents.

The officers of the organization are planning a series of inter-class debates the first of which will be held next Friday afternoon in high school on the subject, "Resolved that Immigration Should be Restricted."

Principal Harris spoke very highly of the local school basketball team this morning and commended Coach McIntyre for his good work in coaching during the short time that the team has been in action.

"One thing that we endeavor to emphasize in all our sports," said Mr. Harris, "is that we are not out in the first place to win the game. Our first aim is the development of the character of the individual. The matter of winning a game or contest is of secondary importance."

The 1921 track team which made such a good start last Saturday night by defeating the alumni in a very exciting meet will clash with Wakefield high school in the annex next Saturday evening.

CHORAL SOCIETY CONCERT

One of the biggest roles in all oratorio is the title role in Mendelssohn's "Elijah," which will be sung at the Choral society concert tomorrow evening. Norman Jolliff, a baritone from New York, is the singer who will handle this part on that occasion, and judging from advance reports, the Choral society has made a find.

Mr. Jolliff came to New York city eight years ago from Toronto and shortly thereafter succeeded the eminent Dr. Carl Duffi as baritone soloist at the Marble Collegiate church.

After his appearance at the Springfield festival last May, it was said of him: "Mr. Jolliff's appearance was a complete triumph. He possesses a voice of unusual resonance and virility, and he sings with admirable expression and fine dramatic sense. His perfect enunciation added greatly to the enjoyment of his singing."

And after an appearance in Hamilton, Ont., when he sang the same role of Elijah which he is to sing here, the Hamilton Spectator wrote as follows: "Mr. Jolliff at once won his audience by his beautiful voice and artistic singing. His rendering of 'It is Enough' was wonderfully effective."

Good seats for this concert may still be obtained at Steinert's, 130 Merrimack street, and at the Strand after 7.15 tomorrow evening.

GLEE CLUB REHEARSAL

The usual glee club rehearsal was held yesterday afternoon in the Community Service club rooms in the Runels building under the direction of Miss Jessie Huger. Following the rehearsal the club doors were thrown open to all club members for a social gathering and entertainment. Vocal selections were rendered by Miss Leona Small and Mr. Bertram Neild. In his rendition of "The Drum Major," Mr. Neild made a decided hit and received prolonged applause. Chocolates and cocoa were served by members of the social committee under the direction of Miss Mildred Buzzell, chairman. The hostesses of the afternoon were Miss Edith Erskine and Miss Genevieve Lawrence. Because of the series of lectures to be given each evening this week in the high school in connection with the community play school instruction, there will be no sessions of the gymnasium classes of the club.

TELEPHONE ALARMS

At 9.07 o'clock yesterday morning a telephone alarm was sent in for a slight blaze in a closet at 7 West Burnside street. No damage. Shortly before 5 o'clockin the afternoon there were two telephone alarms for grass fires, one off Sanders avenue and the other near Wedge street.

SAMUEL H. HINES LODGE

At a recent meeting of Samuel H. Hines lodge, 56, K. of P. the following officers were inducted into office by D.G.C. Fred H. Vatter and suite of Lawrence: Fred W. Ireland, C.C., Albert A. Boden, V.C., Frank B. Millett, P., Ernest L. Griffin, W. W., Robert J. Fullerton, K. R. S., Wallace M. Langell, M.F., Edward E. Rawlinson, M.A., George W. Chaput, I.G. and Charles Dane, O.G.

Audience Heard Pep Talk

Continued

stand throughout the entertainment and lecture.

In opening, the entire assembly was led in prayer by Rev. Fr. Curtin for the repose of the soul of the late Mrs. Francis G. Finnegan, a former member of the women's organization. Miss Alice T. Lee was the presiding officer. The entertainment included the singing of a hymn written by Cardinal O'Connell and an orchestral selection composed by Mr. Henry Gilday. Mrs. Benjamin F. Pickett, soprano soloist, sang "The Swallows" and "My Heart is Singing," accompanied at the piano by Miss Marion M. Ryan. Selections were rendered by the Mandolin club followed by the singing of a hymn composed by the late Bishop Delany. The solo part was sustained by Miss Clotilda Delany, a sister of the late bishop, assisted in chorus by the Choral club of the league.

In his open forum meetings throughout the country, Mr. Collins said that the types of questioners could be divided in three classes, first the serious minded non-Catholic men and women; secondly, the socialists and other such radical reformers; and thirdly, those narrow-minded people swayed by bigotry whom he might term "nuts." He said that the questions asked by the latter class always offered him the opportunity of presenting and explaining in a true light the truths of Catholicity.

Questions were asked on innumerable subjects, he said and included those fired by socialists who demanded explanations of the creation of the world and of the stand of the Catholic church in regard to their own beliefs and on education. "Why is the Catholic church opposed to education?" was one of the questions asked at a meeting, and Mr. Collins answered it by referring to the great number of institutions of learning established throughout the world by the Catholic church, including such universities as Cambridge and Oxford and many of the most ancient and distinguished on the continent.

Other questions answered by Mr. Collins throughout the country were on the justification of the establishment of the Catholic church, the principles and duties of the K. of C. and the church's attitude in reference to the bible. The lecturer then treated in an effective manner his method of refuting the condemnation that the Catholic church is against the bible showing that the church offers indulgences for reading the bible regularly.

The non-believer in God because he saw no miracles, he said, was brought to reason by reference to the miracles of astronomy and the expanse of the universe. Mr. Collins answered that man who denied the existence of God because He could not be seen, by saying "I might say you have no brains, because I can't see them."

"Millions of souls outside the church he said, "willn ever realize the truth Christ laid down, because certain weak-kneed Catholics are afraid to state the teachings of their religion. The kind of Catholic that is respected is the one who stands up and boldly declares himself and his principles. When you drive home those principles fearlessly, yet kindly, then will men and women see thei light and thus you do a service for God and your country."

Having been called upon during the war by the government to speed up industrial activities, Mr. Collins explained in minute detail the working out of his slogan, "Pep Will Win the War." As he proceeded with his talk he made an elaborate diagram on a blackboard and his interpretation of the "pep-graph" was followed by those present with great interest.

As he inscribed the letters, Mr. Collins said pep equals personality expressing personality, the first "P" standing for patriotism, a new element in industry which met with enthusiastic response during the war. The "E" in pep is enthusiasm which is the steam, the driving force. From it much is possible; without it little is accomplished. The final "P" in pep is production the thing we are after that which makes the world go around. Without production we might as well go back to the ideas of the "cave-man." A pep graph—patriotism-enthusiasm-production—was then formed.

"Coupled with enthusiasm," said Mr. Collins, "we must have energy to bring production.

"But again, we can't have production without encouragement, which is the biggest thing in the whole psychology of successful industrial administration. Thus for the "E" in pep we have encouragement, enthusiasm and energy.

"In time of war we made this diagram into a high powered gun, patriotism we loaded at the breech; enthusiasm the spark to ignite; production the shot and shell we sent into the enemy and energy and encouragement form the axle that carried the load."

The "pep" graph as worked out by Mr. Collins as the key to all industrial progress was quite ingenious but cannot be produced as he illustrated on a blackboard; but it had these combinations:

Personal efficiency, protection; personality, efficiency, perseverance; patriotism, enthusiasm, production; protection, efficiency, partnership; permanent employment, pays. The wheels of the wagon as he called his "pep-graph were: Public education produces; protective economic progress; practical effective plans; permanent established peace.

The main message offered in his long address was compressed in three points, first the practical efficacy of prayer; secondly, the way by which we may become really true Christians by the wonderful efficacy of daily or of frequent communion, in partaking the spiritual bread for which we ask in the Lord's prayer; and thirdly, that whenever you need the grace of God in your work, if you are working for the honor and glory of God, it will never fail you.

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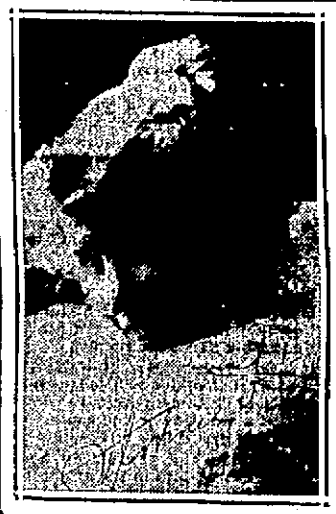

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The strange and fascinating super-serial, "The Fatal Sign," with Harry Carter and Claire Anderson, together with an all star cast. Watch for announcement.

FIVE KILLED IN CRIME WAVE

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Dominick Ponti walked into the Oak street police station today with three bullet wounds in his back and said he had been shot by one of three men with whom he quarreled over 10 barrels of wine. He died soon afterwards. Two arrests were made.

Paul Laudman, a Jamaica storekeeper, aroused from sleep by the sound of breaking glass, saw two men attempting to enter his store. He fired three shots, killing one intruder. The other escaped.

Week End Murders

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—A recurrence of crime, including three deaths, two men dying in hospitals from injuries inflicted by highwaymen and five hold-ups, featured the week-end operations of criminals in Greater New York and its environs. One man was shot to death on a crowded street in broad daylight, another was killed in an attempt to prevent the robbery of a store in East 42d street, while the third, an 18-year-old choir boy, was found dead on railroad tracks near Richmond Hill, with several bones broken and his head lacerated.

COURT UNABLE TO FIND FOR EITHER PARTY

BOSTON, Jan. 24.—The circuit court of appeals today tossed up its judicial hands and admitting it could find for neither party, ordered a case dismissed without costs. This disposition upset a verdict of the lower court that the Boston, Capt Cod and New York Canal Co., should pay $321,740 to the Seaboard Transportation Co., for the loss of its steamer William Chisholm in the canal in 1916. Cross libels had been filed, the Canal company claiming damages for the obstruction of the passage. The court said that while it was not prepared to hold the lower court's finding in error, yet the record of the case suggested the possibility that the steering gear of the Chisholm was responsible for the accident.

PROMINENT NEW YORKER ENDS LIFE

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Max Everhart Smith, 72 years old, and socially prominent committed suicide by shooting early today at his East 58th street home. His relatives professed themselves ignorant of any motive. According to his physician, he had been in good health for his age.

BOWERY MISSION SAVED JOHN GOODE

How the little Bowery Mission in New York city proved the first stepping-stone to his redemption, after he had reached the age of fifty years, was told yesterday afternoon at the Y.M. C.A. before a capacity audience of men by "Wicked" John Goode. The speaker bared the history of his years of vice and dissipation, which culminated in a sentence at Sing Sing prison. He told of the efforts of his wife to free him from his convict's cell, how she at last succeeded, and how he attempted to make reparation to her for seventeen years of harsh treatment.

The meeting was opened by E. C. Leadbetter, who sang, and general singing was led by Industrial Secretary Hockman. At the piano was Fred G. Laite. Goode was then introduced by General Secretary Howe.

The reclaimed evil-doer began his discourse by a description of his youth, spent in a "hard-boiled" town of the Rockies. The fifteen saloons of the place, he said, enjoyed the constant and hearty patronage of his father.

Goode soon found his home town too limited, and so he set forth on his travels, which ended for a time when he underwent a series of incarcerations in Massachusetts reform schools. The Tewksbury almshouse was also his headquarters for a period, and running away from this institution he devoted his days to the company of pick-pockets, thugs, race-track crooks, and other members of the criminal classes. Sing Sing at length became his abode, and here he was subjected to unkindly treatment on the part of the attendants, and constant assaults by the vermin who shared the cells with the inmates.

After his wife had secured his release he fell under the influence of the Gotham religious workers, obtained work in a piano factory, and during the remaining nineteen years of his wife's life lived with her under the happiest conditions.

Goode drew a harrowing picture of liquor's effects, and displayed emphasis when discussing the Personal Liberty league, and the tenets of Governor Edwards of New Jersey.

Sickness Attacks Weakened Bodies

To avoid it, get extra strength for your body by nourishing the blood and tissues with

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The Food Tonic

Many ills are traceable to lack of proper nourishment to worn out tissues. BOVININE enriches the blood and strengthens the body.

Take as directed.

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WHEN WORKING FORCES ARE CUT

In times of business depression the poorest workers are laid off first and efficient men and women retained. Backache, stiff muscles, aching joints, swollen hands and feet, rheumatic pains, bladder weakness and other symptoms of kidney trouble keep many persons from doing their best. John George Bauer, Jr., 2162 Brighton Rd., N. S., Pittsburg, Pa., writes: "I was relieved of all kidney trouble now, but the only sure relief was Foley Kidney Pills. I am now well and strong, no more getting up at night." Burkinshaw Drug Co., 418 Middlesex st., Moody's Drug Store, 310 Central st.—Adv.

BRIEF BUT IMPORTANT WIRE DESPATCHES

NORFOLK, Va., Jan. 24.—Donal J. O'Callaghan, lord mayor of Cork, who came to the United States as a stowaway without a passport, returned here today and Judge Joseph L. Lawless, his counsel, announced that he would be surrendered late today to the immigration inspector as ordered by Secretary Wilson of the labor department.

PASSAIC, N. J., Jan. 24.—General wage reductions affecting 9000 workers in six factories here, were announced today by the industrial council of woolen manufacturies.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Gold worth $7,659,000 arrived today from England aboard the steamer Carmania. Of this amount $1,300,000 consigned to Kuhn, Loeb & Co., was purchased in the London open market and is part of nearly $53,000,000 in gold recently acquired by the firm.

BELFAST, Jan. 24.—The Rev. J. A. Irwin, a Presbyterian minister, who spoke in the United States with Eamon de Valera during the latter's tour, has been arrested, it was learned here today.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Europe's debt to the United States will be increased to $20,000,000,000, George F. Warren, professor of economics at Cornell university declared today at tariff revision hearings by the house ways and means committee. This sum, he said, would include the $9,600,000,000 war-time borrowings from the American treasury.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—A reduction of 25 per cent. in estimates for the conduct of the nation's foreign service was recommended today by an appropriations sub-committee in presenting to the house the diplomatic and consular bill for the next fiscal year.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Trunk lines maintaining joint rates with New England railroads began today testimony before the Interstate Commerce commission in opposition to the granting to the New England carriers of a higher division of rates on traffic interchanged at the Hudson river.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Because of its provision taxing coal brokerage commissions as high as 90 per cent the Calder bill to regulate the coal industry is "the most stupendous aid to profiteering ever devised," former Governor Oakley C. Curtis of Maine declared today before the senate committee considering the measures.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—Reports of the death of Premier Lenine of soviet Russia and of a recent attempt to assassinate him by means of a bomb are characterized in a Moscow wireless despatch received today as "fantastic rumors."

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Chester Rowell of California resigned today as a member of the new shipping board, effective immediately. It was announced at the White House that he was leaving the board to become a member of the California railroad commission.

ON BOARD U. S. S. FLORIDA, EN ROUTE TO HAMPTON ROADS, Jan. 23.—(By wireless to Associated Press) —Secretary of State Colby who sailed on this warship Friday from Port of Spain, Trinidad, on his way home from his South American visit made an address this afternoon to the officers and men of the Florida assembled on the quarterdeck.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Ed (Strangler) Lewis will defend his world's heavyweight catch-as-catch-can wrestling title here tonight against Earl Caddock, a former champion.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Vice-President-elect Coolidge will follow the example of President-elect Harding by taking a vacation in the south.

ROCKLEDGE, Fla., Jan. 24.—A game of golf here and possibly an hour or two of fishing late in the afternoon on the Indian river grounds to the south supplied the first real recreation of President-elect Harding's houseboat trip down the Florida coast.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Great Britain last year reduced its floating debt in the United States by $95,500,000, the department of commerce was informed today by Consul General Skinner at London.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—A decision in the decade of congressional dispute over regulation of the meat packing industry, was expected in the senate today with voting on the Gronna bill.

MAN BURNED IN WRECKED AUTO TRUCK

WEST NEWBURY, Jan. 24.—James Gilson, aged 26, of Cambridge, was burned to death after an auto truck he was driving had upset, just before midnight, on Pipestave Hill, and his companion, John J. Gallagher, of 200 Cambridge street, Boston, was burned while trying to rescue Gilson from the burning machine.

The two men, in a two ton truck belonging to Gilson's father, James J. Gilson of Gardiner, Me., were taking a load of furniture from Cambridge to Gardiner when the accident occurred.

The truck had almost reached the top of Pipestave Hill about 11 o'clock when engine trouble developed, according to Gallagher, and the truck sped backward down the hill, striking an embankment when halfway down and overturning.

Gilson and Gallagher were thrown out, but escaped unhurt. Offers of assistance from John Rogers, a motorman on the Eastern Massachusetts Street railway and from passing autoists were declined.

Gallagher said yesterday that about a half hour after the accident Gilson crawled into the cab of the truck, which suddenly burst into flames. The load of furniture proved ready fuel and the blaze spread quickly, soon reaching the 20-gallon gasoline tank.

Flames mounting 50 feet into the air lighted up the surrounding country and Gallagher, endeavoring to reach Gilson, was driven back by the arc and heat.

Penned in the cab, peering through the broken top, Gilson was burned alive.

THEIR SILVER WEDDING

On the occasion of their silver wedding, Mr. and Mrs. John T. McMahon of 274 High street, kept open house for their relatives and friends Saturday evening and many took occasion to congratulate the happy couple and shower them with best wishes and gifts. In the course of the evening, entertainment numbers were given and refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. McMahon were married at St. Peter's church, this city, January 27, 1896, by the late Rev. Michael Ronan and they have been making their home in this city since.

STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Stocks opened today with a continuance of Saturday's rally. The success of the $30,000,000 Belgian loan issued in this market as indicated by the immediate closing of the subscription books was probably a sentimental factor. Early dealings showed gains of large fractions to 1½ points in shippings, coppers and motors as represented by Atlantic Gulf, American Smelting, Anaconda copper, Studebaker, Goodrich and Bosch Magneto, a seven-point rise in Delaware, Lackawanna & Western featuring the rails. Bethlehem Steel was under further pressure, however, as were also the Mexican and European oils and some of the minor specialties.

There was a perceptible broadening of the market at higher prices during the morning, despite intermittent offerings of shorts. Equipments were especially prominent, pressed Steel Car common rising 7 points and the preferred 4½. Railway Steel Springs and Crucible, Lackawanna, Republic and Sloss-Sheffield Steels were strong, as well as Baldwin Locomotive, General Electric, Studebaker and Allied issues. Oils rallied easily and leather, tobacco, sugar and paper issues joined the further gains among shippings. Delaware, Lackawanna & Western extended its gain to 10 points, other strong rails including Reading, Southern Pacific, Northern Pacific and Pittsburgh and West Virginia. Exchange on London was firm, but call loans held at last week's prevailing rate of 7 per cent.

The market became quiet at midday but for the most part gains were fully maintained. American Agricultural Chemical common and preferred were among the few exceptions declining 2 and 3½ points, respectively, in connection with reports of prospective financing.

Money tendencies became firmer in the last hour and such leaders as Mexican Petroleum, Crucible and Asphalt led a reaction of one to three points. The closing was irregular.

New York Clearings

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Exchanges $426,791,868; balances $76,607,975.

Cotton Market

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Cotton futures opened firm. January 16.40; March 14.75; May 14.75; July 14.90; October 16.00.

Cotton futures closed very steady. Jan. 16.60; March 14.88; May 14.98; July 15.20; Oct. 15.38.

Spot cotton quiet; middling 16.58.

Time loans firm; 60 days and six months 6¾@6¾ per cent.

Money Market

Call money steady at 7 per cent. Bank acceptances, 5¾.

Liberty bonds closed: 3½s, 92.06; first 4s, 87.60; bid; second 4s, 87.30; first 4¼s, 88.00; second 4¼s, 87.86; third 4¼s, 90.96; fourth 4¼s, 88.32; victory 3¾s, 97.26; victory 4¾s, 97.26.

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chal	35⅝	35	35
Am Agri Chem	55⅝	53¾	54½
Am Beet Sug	53½	52½	52½
Am Bosch Mag	47	45½	47
Am Can	29⅝	28⅝	28⅞
Am Car Fdy	124½	122½	122¾
do pfd	112	112	112
Am Cot Oil	22⅝	22½	22¼
Am H & L	46	45½	45½
Am Int Corp	48¾	45	45
Am Loco	83½	82	83½
Am Smelt	38½	37½	38½
do pfd	81	81	81
Am Sug	93½	93	93½
Am Sumatra	79	79	79
Am Wool	67½	66½	66½
Am Zinc	9	9	9
Anaconda	38⅝	38¼	38¼
Atch	83⅜	83	83⅜
do pfd	79⅝	79½	79½
At Gulf	71	65½	65½
Baldwin	90½	88⅝	88⅝
Beth Motors	4	1	4
B & O	35⅜	34¾	34¾
Beth Steel B	55⅝	54¼	55
B R T	14½	14	14½
Butte & Sup	13	13	13
Cal Pete	36⅝	35⅝	35⅝
do pfd	75½	75½	75½
Can Pac	116⅜	115	115¾
Cent Lea	41⅝	40¼	40¼
Cerro de Pasca	31⅝	31¼	31¼
Chandler Motors	70¼	69	69½
Ches & Ohio	59½	59⅜	59¾
C & Gt W	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
C Mil & St. Paul	25⅝	25¼	25½
do pfd	43⅞	43½	43⅞
do N W	68	68	68
C R I & P	26⅝	26¼	26¼
Chile	12½	11⅞	11⅞
Chino	22⅞	22½	22½
Col G & E	62½	60¼	61¼
Cont Candy	70½	70½	70½
Corn Pro	71½	70⅝	70¾
do pfd	104	104	104
Cru Steel	95⅞	93½	94⅜
Cuba Cane	24½	23⅝	24⅛
Del & Hud	101	101	101
Den & R G	1½	1½	1½
do pfd	2½	2	2
Erie	13⅝	13⅜	13⅜
do pfd	20¼	20¼	20¼
Fisk Tire	14⅝	14¼	14¼
Gen Elec	126¾	125¼	125¾
Gen Motors	14⅝	14⅛	14⅜
Goodrich	41½	40½	40⅞
Gt N Ore ctf	77	75⅜	76½
Ill Cen	89½	89	89½
Inspiration	35	34⅞	35
Int Harvester	94¾	91	94⅝
Int Nickel	15⅛	15	15⅛
Int Met Com	5⅜	5¼	5⅜
do pfd	15½	14⅞	15½
Int Mer Mar	15½	14½	14⅝
do pfd	54½	51½	54½
Int Paper	61⅞	58½	58½
do pfd	77⅜	77⅜	77⅜
Kennecott	20⅛	19⅞	19⅞
Kan City S	20	20	20
do pfd	45½	45⅛	45⅛
Lack Steel	53⅞	53	53
Lehigh Valley	52½	52	52⅛
L & Nash	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞
Maxwell	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
do 1st	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
Mex Pete	155½	152¾	152¾
Miami	15⅞	15½	15½
Midvale	31⅞	31	31
M K T Com	2⅝	2⅞	2¾
do pfd	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
Mo Pac	18⅞	18¼	18⅞
do pf	39½	39	39
Nat Lead pf	105	105	105
Nev Cons	11¼	11¼	11¼
N Y Cent	72⅝	71⅞	72
N Y N H & H	20⅞	20½	20½
Nor & West	100⅞	100½	100⅞
No Pac	84¼	82½	83⅝
Ohio Gas	35⅝	35	35
Oklahoma	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Ont & West	18⅞	18½	18⅞
Pan Am	75½	73⅝	74
Penn	41⅝	41½	41⅝
Peo Gas	35½	35½	35½
Pierce Arrow	26⅛	24⅞	25⅛
Pierce Oil	11⅛	10⅞	10⅞
Pitts Coal	62½	60	61⅞
P W V	29⅞	29	29
Pres Steel	96	90⅞	93⅞
Pullman	107½	106	107½
Punta Sugar	48½	48½	48½
Ray Cons	13⅝	13	13⅛
Ry St Sp Co	87½	86	86¼
Reading	88⅞	87	88
Rep I & S	65	65	65¼
do pf	94⅛	94⅛	94⅛
Royal D	65½	65⅜	65⅜
Sinclair	23⅞	23	23⅞
Sloss	53	52	53
So Pac	97⅝	97¼	97½
So Ry	23¼	22⅞	23
do pf	58⅞	58⅞	58⅞
St L & Frisco	22	21⅞	21⅞
Studebaker	58⅞	55⅞	56⅞
Tenn Cop	8⅞	8½	8½
Tex Oil	41½	40⅞	41⅞
Tex Pac	19⅝	19	19⅝
Third Ave	17½	17½	17½
Tobacco Pro	56	56	56
Transcontinental	10¼	10	10
U Pac	119⅝	119	119⅝
do pf	66⅞	66½	66⅞
U S Food Pro	25⅞	24⅞	25⅞
U S I Al	68⅞	67⅞	67⅞
Un Frgt	106	104½	104⅝
U S Rub	70	68½	68½
do pf	103½	103¼	103¼
U S Steel	82½	81¾	82
do pfd	111½	111	111
do 5s	95¼	95¼	95¼
Utah Copper	59¾	59½	59½
Va Chem	37	37	37
Wab	8	8	8
do A	29⅞	29⅞	29½
West Maryland	10⅝	10½	10⅝
Willys	8	7⅞	7⅞
Wilson & Co	43	43	43
Wes'house	45⅞	45	45
Worthington Pump	43½	43½	43

BOSTON, Jan. 24.—The local market was irregular and uncertain at the opening today. West End and Waldorf were up and New England Telephone and Greenfield Tap were down, all fluctuations being fractional.

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Am T & T	98⅝	98⅛	98⅝
Am Wool pfd	96¼	96¼	96¼
Ariz Com	8½	8½	8½
Big Heart	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
Bos El	64½	64½	64½
Bos & Alb	128¾	128¾	128¾
Bos & Me	23½	22⅞	22⅞
Carson Hill	15½	14	15
Cop Range	33½	33½	33½
East Butte	9½	9½	9½
East MFG	22½	22½	22½
Granby	22⅞	22⅞	22⅞
Gray & Davis	12¼	12¼	12¼
Hancock	3¼	3¼	3¼
Int Products	10	10	10
Island Oil	4½	4⅛	4⅛
Isle Roy	21	21	21
Lib McN	12½	12⅜	12⅜
Mass Gas	82¾	82½	82½
do pfd	62	62	62
Mohawk	46½	46¼	46¼
Nat Leather	8⅞	8¼	8¼
Nevada	11¼	11¼	11¼
New Cornelia	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞
N E Tel	93½	93	93
Nipissing	8	8	8
No Butte	12	11⅛	11⅛
Pond Creek	14½	13¼	14½
Quincy	40	33	40
Ray Con	15⅛	13	13⅛
Reece Buttonhole	13¼	12⅞	12⅞
Shat Ariz	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞
Simms Mag	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞
Sup & Bos	1½	1⅛	1½
Swift & Co	104½	104½	104½
Swift Int	28¼	28¼	28¼
Trinity	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
U Cons	4½	4½	4½
U Metal	1¾	1½	1¾
U Sh M	38	37½	38
Ventura	17⅞	17¼	17¾
Waldorf	15⅞	15½	15½

Reparations Issue Taken Up

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than to ratify the plan submitted by the experts which should not require more than one sitting.

Program for Today

The program for the day which, of course, was but provisional, called for consideration of the subject of coal deliveries, the arrangement made between the allies and Germany at Spa expiring on January 31. It was forecast that the allies would endeavor to reach a new decision on the subject as rapidly as possible so that Germany might be notified before that date.

This business once out of the way, the conference would be free to devote all its time and energies to the question of reparations, which was evidently the most important to come before the meeting and upon which much depended. M. Briand, it has been asserted, owed his selection as French premier to the fact that he was considered to be the man who could most clearly and convincingly plead the case of France regarding reparations before the conference. The financial and economic position of France and the possible negotiation of loans in America were considered in the preparations made by the French cabinet to lay the claims of France before the allied governments.

May Call German Experts

German financial and economic experts may be summoned to this city before the conference has long continued. The contention of Premier Lloyd George that the conference fix the amount of indemnity to be paid by Germany which is opposed by Premier Briand, who holds that the amount of reparations to be paid the allies should be determined only on the basis of what Germany can be compelled to pay, seemed to be of such a nature that expert German advice must be called upon for data. The discussion of the disarmament of German citizen guards and the reduction of that nation's armed forces to the limit fixed by the Versailles treaty, also appeared to require the submission of information on the exact situation especially in Bavaria and in Prussia.

May Alter Treaty of Sevres

The situation that arose in Greece after the return of Constantine to Athens, also seemed to have a direct bearing on the conference. It is no secret that France would not resist alteration of the treaty of Sevres, by which Turkey was shorn of sovereignty over Constantinople, the Dardanelles, Smyrna and its hinterland and large sections of Syria. There has been a rumored desire on the part of the allies to deal directly with the Turkish national government at Angora, which is dominant in Asia Minor at present, the Turkish sultan's power being a mere shadow of authority.

To Assist Austria

Appeals from the government of the Austrian republic, reflecting a critical situation in Vienna, were ready today for submission to the allied representatives. Danger of an absolute governmental collapse in Austria, with its sequel of anarchy and Bolshevism, is realized in every allied capital and some means of granting assistance to Austria, it is believed, must be devised before the conference closes.

Trade With Russia

Resumption of trade relations with Russia by allied governments which would entail a sort of conditional recognition of the soviet regime in Moscow, appeared to be a topic which would be discussed seriously during the week. In connection with this subject, the note sent by President Wilson to Paul Hymans, president of the Assembly of the League of Nations, demanding that the allies assume a "hands off" attitude, toward the Russian nation appeared to be of prime importance.

It was felt here today that the conference would open under good auspices.

The conference was opened with a speech of welcome by Premier Briand and devoted its first session to hearing Marshal Foch, Field Marshal Sir Henry Hughes Wilson of the British imperial staff and General Maurice Nollet, head of the French military mission in Berlin, on the disarmament question.

The conference is virtually a meeting of the supreme council formed during the peace conference.

TYPHOID FEVER CASES

Typhoid fever, once a dreaded scourge in Lowell but from which the city has been comparatively free for a number of years, has made its reappearance, according to report given out at the board of health office in city hall. In all of last year there were only 27 cases reported in the city. Recently there have been three cases reported. The measles epidemic continues to show signs of abating. The number of cases of diphtheria and scarlet fever continues to be about normal.

Drops Dead Three Days After Wife

HAVERHILL, Jan. 24.—Clarence M. Morgan, aged 66, dropped dead of heart disease in a shoeshine parlor here this forenoon, while on a trip to this city to arrange the funeral of his wife. Mrs. Morgan dropped dead on the street here last Friday night. Albert C. Raw, of Boston, who was with Morgan, collapsed and was taken to a hospital.

Four Train Robbers Obtain But $9

LOUISIANA, Mo., Jan. 24.—Four masked bandits who held up a Chicago & Alton passenger train near here, early today, obtained nine dollars for their efforts. Locked vestibule doors kept the robbers out of the sleeping cars and coaches, the fireman contributing the only money obtained. The bandits escaped. The train was en route from Kansas City to Chicago.

Upholds Right to Seize German Securities

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The supreme court today upheld the authority of the alien property custodian to seize securities deposited in this country by the German insurance companies to protect American policyholders. The court said there would be no doubt that the trading with the enemy act authorized such seizure.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

About 400 Votes Cast in Election of Local Board of Directors

Judging from the large number of ballots already cast in the election of directors for the local chamber of commerce, interest in the matter is widespread. Although only about 30 per cent of the 1200 chamber members cast votes in the nomination, the prediction of the officials that there would be a much larger number cast in the election is being borne out from the fact that up to early afternoon today about 400 votes had been cast. The grand finale in voting is expected late tomorrow afternoon, just preceding 6 o'clock when the polls will be closed. The election committee will then proceed immediately to count the ballots so that the successful nine candidates for directorship will be known tomorrow morning.

Some time this week the last meeting of the present board of directors will be held to clean-up all matters now awaiting disposition. Undoubtedly, the last work of the present board will be to approve the work of the election commission and declare the 1921 board elected.

Within 10 days after their election, the 1921 board will hold its first meeting at which their officers will be appointed. The business of the 1921 season will then take on more life than during the past two or three weeks. Activities of the chamber have been dull pending the result of the election of directors.

Rebuilding of Old Residences

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some time previous to his departure from the city by Rev. Alfred R. Hussy, former pastor of All Souls' church The building is of wood, two stories and a half high. There is an attractive veranda on the front of the house.

The residence is surrounded by an estate of nearly 20,000 square feet. On one side of the property is a large stable that will be rebuilt into a garage to contain stalls for ten machines.

One Apartment Complete

When completed the house will contain six four-room and a three-room apartments on the two lower floors and a single three-room apartment on the top floor. The latter apartment has already been completed. The number of rooms in the apartments is exclusive of the bathrooms.

The house will have polished oak floors in all of the apartments. The interior finish will be of white pine. Electric lighting fixtures of the latest design will be installed. A hot water heating system will be used. There will be a gas range and refrigerator in each apartment. The latest pattern open plumbing will be used all over the house, and the bath rooms will be supplied with white enamel fixtures.

It is estimated that the cost of altering the house will be about $18,000.

The other house that is being changed over from a residence to an apartment house is located at 43 Nesmith street. It is surrounded by an estate of about 6000 square feet. It was formerly the property of Julian Talbot of North Billerica. The residence is of wood and has three floors.

When completed the new building will contain three four-room and three three-room apartments. A two-stall garage will be built on the grounds The cost of the alterations will be $2200.

The interior finish of this property will be similar to that at 282 Nesmith street.

Both of the estates have recently passed into the hands of Michael M. Quealy, 11 Royal street, a dealer in investment securities. The work of reconstruction is going on under the direct supervision of the new owner. The architect is Millard F. Davis, of the Hildreth building.

It is expected that the buildings will be ready for occupancy in the spring

SEIZE $59,000 WORTH OF LIQUOR AT OXFORD

OXFORD, Mass., Jan. 24.—The biggest whiskey haul made in New England since the Volstead act was put into effect took place here at 10 o'clock last night, when federal officers, assisted by local constables raided the old "Peter Kidder place," owned and occupied by John Malkowiski, a farmer, and captured 35 barrels of liquor, valued at $59,000.

STRUCK BY AUTOMOBILE

Helen Maczawski, aged 7 years and residing at 16 Bent's court off Gorham street, was struck by an automobile in Gorham street near her home yesterday, but fortunately her injuries were only of a minor nature. The automobile was being operated by John A. Hanley of 178 Columbia road, Dorchester.

MATS REPEAT SHOW

Standing Room Only at the Lowell Opera House Yesterday Afternoon and Evening

"Follies and Frolics of 1921," the show so successfully presented in Associate hall recently by the Mathew Temperance Institute, was repeated in the Lowell Opera House yesterday afternoon and evening before capacity audiences. John W. Sharkey, interlocutor and John Townsend, music leader, directed. Besides additional features provided by vaudeville stars from out-of-town, some particularly interesting moving pictures were flashed upon the screen.

Edw. Slattery repeats Ko-Ko, Mikado.—Adv.

Talk May Be Measured

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recorded by a meter that will be read monthly in much the same way that a gas meter is now checked-up. The cost of the service will be $3.50 for 70 calls a month with an added charge of four cents for all calls over the specified number. The residence phones will continue, at least for a time, on the unmeasured basis.

It is not stated when the new form of service is likely to become available. Work of preparing for it is now going forward, but is being delayed by the failure of essential material to arrive. No actual date for starting measured talking has been set, and the local telephone officials say they are not absolutely certain that it will be introduced at all. From their way of speaking of the innovation it seems a reasonable conclusion, however, that they will be much disappointed if it is not.

The new service, it is claimed, is necessary on account of the great increase in telephone conversations in Lowell. It is said that it is impossible to secure switchboards and other needed material to keep the plant in condition to handle the growing business. New switchboards, it is said, are not to be had in much less than two years time.

It is stated that there are about 2200 busines telephones now in use in this city, and that somewhat less than 1000 of these are now equipped for measured service. The rates for the proposed extended measured service are the same as those now charged.

Two other cities in the state, Worcester and Springfield, it is stated, now have the measured service such as may be introduced into Lowell.

High School Dances

Continued

entailed more outlay of money by the students attending. Now, however, these activities have been cut down considerably and are carried out under very strict supervision of school authorities.

A few years ago many of the high school dances were held in public halls, but because of certain tendencies noted among the young men and women at these affairs and of certain dangers always connected with public dances, declared Mr. Harris, the principal of the high school and the school board got together and ruled that from that time on all dancing parties and socials run under the auspices of the high school or its organization should be held in the school hall.

Principal Harris said that Rev. Mr. Babcock's condemnation of present-day dancing on the grounds of morality would have no particular reference to those held under high school auspices.

"All dances for students of the high school are presented under very strict surveillance of the faculty and the latter make it their business to order from the floor all those who do not dance properly," declared Mr. Harris. He said he had even gone so far as to have an expert dancing teacher present at a recess dance in the school hall recently, giving instructions as to the correct posture in dancing.

"Evidently Mr. Babcock has lost sight of the fact of the necessity of educating the children in social affairs which leads to personal ease and self-control on their part." Continuing, Mr. Harris called attention to the fact that there's a certain amount of social recreation and entertainment necessary with concentration in study and that the school authorities were doing the very best to hold any dangerous propensities in check.

"Both Mr. Woodward (sub-principal) and I are fathers and we take a great interest in the activities of the students of the school. We have come to the conclusion that the fault in many cases where young girls and men go astray lies with the parents. One of the greatest problems we have to deal with here in the high school is the matter of dress. There seems to be a continual and constant endeavor by some parents to have their children outshine, I might say, all others at the school. Some girls come to school dressed in silks and wearing low neck dresses which should not be allowed."

Another matter for which Mr. Harris blamed parents was the face powdering by the girls. He said he could not say whether any of the high school students used face paint or not, but that it was evident that many of them used colored powder.

Principal Harris agreed with Mr. Babcock on the expense involved in dancing parties, but said that he had endeavored to cut that down to a minimum. Cost for decoration has been trimmed, boys have been requested not to wear dress suits at the officers' balls, girls have been asked and advised to dress moderately. Cost of dance programs, said Mr. Harris, has been slashed. At all dances in high school hall there are many teachers on hand for supervision and on every floor in the building and in the basement, said Mr. Harris, janitors are posted. "Teachers acting as hostesses at all the dances," he continued, "mingle with the students and promptly object to any improper dancing or behavior."

FOR PARISH BANQUET

Under the direction of Rev. ... Gauthier of St. Louis' church a group ... ed "Marguerite Morus" a three-act drama at St. Joseph's college hall last evening, the affair being given for the benefit of the new French Catholic parish in Pawtucketville and under the auspices of the Pawtucketville Social ... large, the play was very enjoyable and the receipts of the evening were very substantial. Those who contributed to the success of the affair were Arcelle Brunelle, Misses A. Hotin, Ruth Gaudette, Simonne Lebrun, Juliette Vincent, Fleur-Ange Ouellette, Claire Dubois, Florida Fortin, Clementine Jodoin and Alice Ouellette. Miss Ida Mongrain was the accompanist and the orchestra was under the direction of Mrs. Harry Decelle. The committee in charge of the entertainment consisted of Joseph Payette, Charles R. Daoust, Josephat Sawyer and Ureisse Lavoie. In the afternoon the performance was given for the children.

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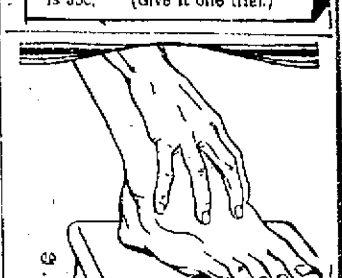

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It takes the planet Saturn almost 30 years to make a trip around the sun.

Sporty News and Newsy Sports

OPEN TRACK SCHEDULE

Lively Contests at Paige Street Annex—High School Defeats Alumni

The first dual meet of the local high school's 1921 track schedule, between the high school and the L.H.S. alumni, at the Paige street annex Saturday night drew a crowd which packed the hall to the doors. Every available bit of standing room was taken while the tops of the gun racks proved advantageous positions from which to view the meet by many of the younger track fans of the school out in large numbers supporting their team. The relay race decided the meet. The alumni lost by a few yards and thus yielded nine points which put the younger fellows two points ahead and made them the winners by the score of 37 to 35.

Many of the old-timers scheduled to run changed their minds at the last minute, not willing to go up against a squad of men who have been training constantly for a few weeks past. Nevertheless, the alumni were well represented by such men as Jimmie Liston of Boston college, Max Sherburne, of Dartmouth, Paddy Mullane of Tufts, Falls of the army, Mansur, Rowlandson of B.C., Silcox and DeLorme. Considering the fact that most of the alumni who ran have not competed for some time and are out of training, their showing was very commendable, but no more so than that of the high school men, many of whom are new at the game.

The dashes brought Rowlandson, of the alumni, to prominence, for in his heats he edged-in a good distance ahead of Mansur and Silcox, former stars in that event. His style of running is a lesson to the novice in the art of using one's arms. When he runs, his arms just seem to pull him along the track, and by peculiar methods of balancing with his arms at the banks, he prevents stumbling. Sherburne walked away with the 1000 yard run, but Willard and Forrest deserve great credit for their efforts to run him down. Paddy Mullane, who had the 1000 all his own way when he was running at school and at one time defeated Sherburne, started in the run, but gave up after completing about six laps. In the beginning of the race Forrest and Mullane tried battling with Sherburne, but the latter just coolly stepped ahead of them a few yards and easily paced in about a lap in the lead of his field.

The 300 was one of the most exciting and drew out yelling and screeching, the like of which was never before heard in the drill shed. Most of it was for O'Hare who has made a hit with Lowell sport-goers for his splendid pluck.

Some time ago it was doubtful whether O'Hare could participate in track athletics because of the injury he received in football and the operation he had to undergo in the hospital, but he surely gave promise last night that he will be as strong this year as he was last.

Hart took the lead in the 300 at the first bank and kept it until the last bank when he stumbled and was passed by O'Hare. Delorme of the alumni strained every muscle to catch Hart and came within arm's reach just when the latter fell, second and third places going to Cahill and Delorme.

Lowell high has some very likely looking candidates in the high jump feature. This number was won by Mansur at 5 feet, 6 inches, followed by Saunders, second and McAdams and Donahue, tied for third place. Donahue showed good form though but a very young fellow. He has had considerable practice from competition in schoolboy meets on the South common. McAdams, high captain, is not down to best form as yet in the jump, and Saunders of the alumni seemed very heavy. Donahue and McAdams could not negotiate the bar at the five foot four mark, while Saunders failed at 5 feet six inches.

Another display of Paddy Mullane's craftiness was given in the 600 yard run when he held all his reserve to the last lap and pulled up from end position to second place. He misjudged the leading man, Peters, however, and did not start his final burst of speed soon enough to catch him. Mullane took the first bank, but was immediately passed by Sheehan who was followed on the first lap by Peters, Ray Liston and Heatheock. Peters crept to the lead in the third lap and battled with Ray Liston for the position for some time. The latter dropped behind Sheldon and couldn't touch Mullane's final speed.

Summary: 30 yard dash, first heat, won by, Rowlandson; second Mansur; time four seconds; second heat, won by Cahill, second, O'Hare; time, four seconds; third heat won by Hart, second, McAdams, time 4 1-5 seconds; fourth heat won by Silcox, second, Jimmie Liston, time 3 4-5 seconds.

Semi-finals, first heat won by Rowlandson; second, Mansur; time 3 4-5 seconds; second heat won by McAdams, second Silcox, time four seconds. Final heat, 30 yard dash won by Rowlandson, second Silcox, third McAdams time 3 4-5 seconds. Score: Lowell 1, Alumni 8.

1000 yard run, won by Sherburne, second Williard, third Forrest; time, 2 minutes 41 3-5 seconds. Score, Lowell 5, Alumni 13.

300 yards, won by O'Hare; second Cahill; third, Delorme. Time 42 seconds. Score, Lowell 13, Alumni 14.

Shot-put, won by Falls; second Bachman; third, Jimmie Liston. Distance 40 feet, 3½ inches. Score, Lowell 16, Alumni 20.

Running high jump, won by Mansur; second Saunders, tied for third, McAdams and Donahue. Height, five feet, six inches. Score, Lowell 17, Alumni 25. 600 yard run, won by Peters; second, Paddy Mullane; third, Woods. Time, 1 minute, 33 4-5 seconds. Score, Lowell 23, Alumni 31.

35 yard hurdles won by McAdams, second, Jimmie Liston, third, Heathcock. Time, 5 seconds. Score: Lowell 28, Alumni 35.

1200 yard relay race, won by Lowell. Alumni, Saunders, Delorme, Liston, Rowlandson. Lowell, Clark, Hannigan, Cahill, McAdams.

NOTES OF THE MEET

That victory by Sherburne over Mullane in the 1000 was surely sweet for the former, for it wiped out an old score. Sherburne expected an even match with Mullane and claimed before he entered that he was not in training. Some running!

Evidently military training does not go well with athletics. "Ring" Falls, who is in the army tried the hurdles, but was disqualified by knocking down two uprights. The stiff back and straight shoulders needed by a West Point enthusiast do not go well with hurdling.

Hereafter, we'll all know when "Red" O'Hare is pulling off some flashy work by the amount of howling, whistling and screeching. He received a great ovation.

Jimmie Liston was there strong. He is a pretty heavy looking man in a track suit, but his training at B.C. track practice will undoubtedly trim him down.

Victory for Lowell in the relay was due to the good start made by Clark. He established a lead over Saunders that was never recovered throughout the race.

FAST BASKETBALL GAME

American Legion Wins From Pere Marquette K. of C. in Overtime Game

The basketball game between the local American Legion Five and Pere Marquette Council, K. of C, Boston, in Legion hall, Saturday night, had to go through an overtime session to break off a tie score of 18 to 18. Through flashy work, Lowell became victors by adding two more baskets to their total in the five-minute overtime and making the score 22 to 18. Foley, the lightest man on the Legion team, who played quietly but effectively throughout the game, showed a wonderful burst of speed and rushed through the first basket in breaking the tie score.

The husky Pere Marquette fellows, stars on the gridiron (and many of them wore the lettered sweaters won on the football field) met their match and traveled homeward, downcast, and realizing they were fairly beaten. During the first period of the game they could not understand the quickness of the Lowell players. In fact they did not expect such lightning sport and before the game was over they came to the conclusion that the Lowell five had been trained efficiently to cover every player, man for man.

This covering work actually proved the salvation of the game for the locals for they did not allow their opponents to hold the ball and destroyed practically ever chance for them to pass it. During the second period the K. of C. retaliated almost move for move, each man showing more aggressive tactics and preventing much sensational open work.

Keyes, right forward for Lowell, proved about the most valuable man on the team. His quick judgment, alertness, and sensational pass work put his team-mates in line for many a basket. For his ability also, to follow up his passes, dodging under or through the arms of opponents or wriggling from their grasp, he deserves the highest commendation. Many and many a time did he follow up his own passes and grab them out of the hands of the Boston men. Foley, lightweight, could easily be thrown around by the K. of C. men, but he very carefully watched his step, playing a cool and level-headed game and breaking in just at the right time to smash the tie score.

The summary:

LOWELL		PERE MARQUETTE
McGwan	c	Jennings
Keyes rf		rf McDonough
Keenan lf		lf M. McCarthy
Randall rb		rb O'Leary
Stone, Foley lb		lb McCarthy

Goals: Lowell, McGowan 1, Keyes 2, from fouls, Lowell, Keyes 2, Pere Mar- McDonough 1, M. McCarthy, 1, Jennings 3, McCarthy 2, O'Leary 1. Goals from fouls. Lowell, Keyes 2, Jere Marquette, McDonough 2.

BOSTON COLLEGE TRIMS LOWELL TEXTILE

The entrance of Luke Urban, Boston College's All America football whirlwind, into Saturday evening's basketball game with Lowell Textile spelled defeat for the local aggregation, which, however, put up a stiff struggle until the final moment of play. At the end of the first half, the score stood 15 to 15, with B.C. slightly in the lead. Both teams had shown a spectacular knowledge of the game, and every point scored by either side was the result of brawn with headwork emphatically added.

The tally at the end of the contest, 33 to 22, with B.C. on the long end of the score, hardly indicated the equality of the battle. Textile was not deterred at any time by the marvelous physical condition of the Bostonians, or by the fame of Urban, or by the lead which the University Heights crew had accumulated. They waged a fierce, and at the same time heady, campaign for baskets at all times. Smith shone notably in this work, as did Carpenter, who crowded close behind in the contest for the laurels.

The second half opened with both teams keyed to fighting pitch, B.C. led off with a show of form which gave them the jump on Lowell. Then the Textiles came back with a rush which netted a crop of baskets and evoked bursts of cheers from their supporters. Again the Bostonese pushed to the fore as aggressors, and this time uncovered a surprising attack which grew more potent until they had established themselves in a position of security.

It was patent to spectators that the Textiles suffered from lack of training opportunities. The exacting curriculum had evidently rendered it impossible for them to compete in form with the superbly regimened B.C. squad. Then when Melley was taken out, and Captain Urban went into the fray, the new and fresh power acquired by their opponents made it almost a hopeless task for the local boys to acquire an edge in the scoring.

The game took place at the Lowell Textile playing surface, with Referee McIntyre officiating. The score:

BOSTON COLLEGE	LOWELL TEXTILE
E. Gallagher, Melley rf	lg Lombard
Murphy, O. Gallagher lf	rg Matthews
Moreley c	c Smith, Stevens
Melley, Urban rg	lf Carpenter
Hickey, Tarrell lg	rf Schneider, Smith

Score: Boston College 33, Lowell Textile 22. Goals from the floor: Moreley 5, Urban 1, E. Gallagher 2, Matthews, Stevens, Schneider. Goals from fouls: Hickey 3, Urban 2, Stevens 6. Time: 20-minute halves. Referee, McIntyre. Scorer, Marshall. Timer, Brown.

POLO LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pct
New Bedford	35	27	57.1
Providence	47	32	59.5
Fall River	47	35	57.3
Hartford	38	39	49.4
Worcester	31	47	39.7
Bridgeport	31	47	39.7
Lowell	25	50	33.3

SATURDAY NIGHT'S RESULTS

Providence 10, Lowell 1.
Fall River 8, Worcester 4.
New Bedford 5, Bridgeport 3

SUNDAY NIGHT'S RESULTS

Bridgeport 5, Lowell 2 (afternoon.)

A CORRECTION

In the report of deaths received at city hall and published in these columns Saturday the cause of death given in the case of Elizabeth C. Stewart was tuberculosis of lungs. It should have read "tuberculosis of hip."

BOXING

Crescent A. A., Thursday Night

Steve KENNEDY vs. Jack ROSE

POLO

HARTFORD vs. LOWELL

Crescent Rink—Tuesday Night

PROVIDENCE GAINS BY WINNING 4 STRAIGHT

While New Bedford still leads the teams in the American Roller Polo league by a good margin, Providence winning four straight games last week with the Whalers dropping two out of five, reduced the lead considerably.

The Providence team as now constituted is without a doubt one of the strongest and best balanced in the league and with a good break in luck is bound to make a big bid for the pennant. New Bedford and Fall River are also very strong combinations and the battle for leadership now appears to rest between these clubs.

Hartford continues to play very consistent polo. Davies, formerly of Lowell, is working well with the veteran Ted Lewis and the other members of the team are going along at a good clip. Worcester has a strong team, but injuries have kept Barney Doherty out of the lineup in many games. If the veteran back is unable to resume playing the team will be greatly weakened. Bridgeport with Muirhead at halfback has improved. Lowell, while a consistent loser, has been playing pretty fair polo. Ferdie Harkins never worked harder, while Capt. Frank Hardy is playing with all his might. Mallory, the new goal tender started off in old time form, but in the last few games, he has been off color. Saturday night he was twice injured and his work suffered in consequence. Fahrner and Donnelly are giving all that is in them, but yet a winning stride has not been found. One trouble with the team is that it lacks a hard hitting rush. Both Harkins and Fahrner are good floor workers, but neither hits very hard.

Lowell has but three games scheduled for this week. Tonight the team will play at Hartford, while tomorrow night Hartford will play here. The next game will be on Friday night when the climbing Gold Bug will come here for a game. The schedule is as follows:

Monday: Lowell at Hartford, New Bedford at Providence.

Tuesday: Hartford at Lowell; Worcester at New Bedford.

Wednesday: New Bedford at Worcester, Bridgeport at Fall River, Providence at Hartford.

Thursday: Fall River at Bridgeport.

Friday: Providence at Lowell, New Bedford at Hartford, Worcester at Fall River.

Saturday: Fall River at Providence, Hartford at New Bedford, Bridgeport at Worcester.

POLO AVERAGES

The averages in the American Roller Polo league are as follows:

Goals made by: K. Williams 229, Duggan 224, Tarl 206, Davies 187, Higgins 174, Pierce 174, Lewis 165, Thompson 161, Alexander 145, R. Williams 145, Harkins 53, Quigley 57, Wiley 95, Jean 77, Hardy 42, Dufresne 41, Evans 40, Griffith 34, Lyons 22, Harrold 21, Brown 15, Slater 15, Muirhead 12, Donnelly 7, Cusick 6, Morrison 6, Gardner 3, Doherty 1.

Fouls made by: Hardy 42, Dufresne 40, Donnelly 39, Jean 33, Brown 31, Duggan 16, Hart 15, Harrold 14, K. Williams 12, Cusick 12, Blount 11, Lyons 11, Griffith 11, Doherty 3, Morrison 9, Alexander 5, Gardner 7, Evans 6, Lewis 6, Harkins 5, Muirhead 4, Pierce 4, R. Williams 3, Wiley 3, Higgins 2, Jette 1, Quigley 1, Pence 1, Thompson 1.

Rushes taken by: Duggan 650, Alexander 605, Davies 433, R. Williams 320, Lewis 308, Higgins 297, K. Williams 166, Fahrner 15, Pierce 9, Quigley 2, Harkins 1.

Goals scored by teams: Fall River 414, Worcester 412, Lowell 397, New Bedford 394, Bridgeport 357, Providence 376, Hartford 328.

Goal tends' averages:

Hueffner	3507	329	92.0
Conley	3233	284	91.9
Blount	3725	321	91.9
Jette	3598	309	91.9
Mallory	229	24	90.5
Pence	4138	436	90.4
Purcell	3593	431	90.0

LOWELL POLOISTS DROP TWO GAMES

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 24.—A perfect torrent of goals went into the Lowell cage Saturday night and when play ended the score stood 10 to 1 in favor of the Gold Bugs. Mallory was twice injured and to that circumstance was attributed the merry sequence of bullseyes. A shot from Lyons' stick hit him on the knee as play began, and another caught him on the hand in the second period. The double mishap sapped his confidence. Thompson was out of the game on account of illness, and his place was taken by Kehoe. Armory hall was packed to the doors. The lineup:

LOWELL	PROVIDENCE
Fahrner, 1r	1r, Williams
Markins, 2r	2r, Kehoe
Hardy, c	c, Brown
Donnelly, b	b, Lyons
Mallory, g	g, Conley

Summary—Score: Providence 10, Lowell 1. Rushes: Fahrner 7, Williams 7, goals, Williams 5, Kehoe 2, Harkins 5. Stops: Mallory 56, Conley 36. Fouls: Hardy, Donnelly. Referee Kilgara.

BRIDGEPORT WINS

BRIDGEPORT, Jan. 24.—The matinee polo game here today went to Bridgeport, 5 to 2, but the Lowell quintet played a great game and suffered because breaks were against them. Lowell went into the lead at the opening of the second period and Harkins unfortunately caused the score to be knotted when he accidentally kicked the pill into the Bridgeport goal. The locals then went to the front with three in a row, Fahrner had two in and out drives. The lineup.

LOWELL	BRIDGEPORT
Fahrner, 1r	1r, Williams
Harkins, 2r	2r, Quigley
Hardy, c	c, Harrold
Donnelly, b	b, Muirhead
Mallory, g	g, Pence

Summary—Score: Bridgeport 5 Lowell 2. Rushes: Williams 5, Fahrner 2. Goals: Fahrner, Hardy, Williams 2, Quigley, Harrold 2. Stops: Pence 35. Fouls: Hardy, Harrold. Referee, Kilgara.

BOXING NOTES

Chris Fleming of New York, manager of Jabez White, in a long letter to The Sun, hurls a defi at all contenders in the bantamweight division from Champion Joe Lynch down the line. He says White has met Lynch on two occasions and is matched to meet him again at St Louis, Mo., on February 9. One of the Lynch-White bouts was fought at Boston and it went the distance to a draw. The other bout was also a draw. He concludes by stating that he would like to introduce White to Lowell fans.

Pete Hartley's victory over Frankie Britt, the other night at Providence indicates that the New York lightweight is still to be considered one of the leading lightweights. Hartley has fought in Lowell on many occasions and few boxers enjoy greater popularity here. He always works hard and, win or lose, will give those at the ringside a run for their money.

Steve Kennedy, of Lawrence, who is scheduled to meet Jack Rose, of Chicago here next Thursday night a few years ago was a participant in one of the greatest open air bouts ever seen in this vicinity. He met Joe Eagan at Spalding park and the battle was a thriller from bell to bell. If Steve can show some of the class he displayed then next Thursday Jack Rose is in for a merry scrap.

Water containing radioactive compounds is used as a curative agent for certain diseases.

BROUGHT $90 AT AUCTION IS WORTH $30,000

Word comes from Cleveland that Capt. David Shaw has turned down an offer of $30,000 for the sensational performer, Prince Loree, 2.03¼ trotting, 2.00 pacing.

While the offer was undoubtedly made in good faith by some one seeking a stake pacer for Grand Circuit racing, there never was a chance of the little gelding changing owners. The aged Cleveland turfman does not think of his horses with money in mind and as long as he lives the two-gaited champion will remain his property.

Prince Loree is not a "morning glory." He won the Transylvania two years ago and carries a winning race record of 2.03¼ as a trotter. Last season Mike McDevitt put him to pacing and in the fall he took a time mark of 2.00.

This gives him the edge so far as demonstrated speed is concerned on any other pacer eligible to the 1921 stakes. Naturally he is looked at with longing eyes by men who race on the Grand Circuit.

Once Owned by Walter Cox

Prince Loree's career has been most unusual. As a 2-year-old in 1913, the son of Prince McKinney and Deloree, 2.09½, went to the New York midwinter sale and was bought by Walter Cox. Brushed over the ice at Granite state the colt could fly, but when it came time to show on the clay he could do little.

Frank Monahan took him out on the state road and over that surface he was a real trotter.

These exhibitions did not enthuse Cox, who said "the place for speed is where they pay for it."

Prince Loree, however, made the ship West and when the Pastime Stable made the trade for Lee Axworthy, the Prince passed into Billy Andrews' hands. Billy finally passed him up and he went at auction for $90.

Capt. Shaw gave the buyer $20 profit and the new champion became a matinee performer. He did well at racing for ribbons and McDevitt, in 1915, took him down the Big Line.

For a trotter with his whizz he did not win many races, but on the days when he took it into his head to go he was mighty hard to handle.

How he will race as a pacer will not be known until the sports at North Randall early in July.

"Ted" Horan says, "They can't give him any races because he does not pace, he flies."

Stallion Stake For Foals of 1921

The plans decided on by the Trotting Horse Breeders of New England Inc., for the stallion stake for foals of 1921, except for a few minor changes, are the same as were outlined for foals of 1920. In the 2-year-old races to take place in 1923 distance will be waived and a payment to start in the first division will entitle one to start in the second, if for any reason they did not start in the former, without any further payment. This would apply to 2-year-old and 3-year-old races in 1923 and 1924.

The secretary and treasurer reports that in the first stake for foals of 1920 33 stallions were nominated and that 77 mare owners had made first payment and 54 second payment, making a total to date of $1034.

C. W. Lassell has been re-elected president of the association and C. H. Traiser secretary and treasurer.

LOWELL DEFEATS FITCHBURG

The Lowell high school basketball team registered its fifth consecutive victory Friday night when it defeated Fitchburg high school in their own school by the score of 35 to 13.

The lineup and score:

LOWELL	FITCHBURG
B. McAdams, rf	lb, Mulkeen
Ordway, lf	rb, Cote
Brockunier, c	c, Shea
Hunt, rb	lf, Polson
Davis, lb	rf, Hobbs

Individual baskets: From the floor—Ordway 4, Brockunier 2, Hunt 3, Shea 5, Cote 1; on fouls, Ordnay 7, Holk 6. Time 2 20 minute halves; scorer, O'Hare; timer, Chalmers; referee, Mullaney; attendance, 400.

MARANVILLE TRADED

Goes to Pirates for Three Players

BOSTON, Jan. 24—"Rabbit" Maranville was more nearly reconciled today to his passing from the Boston Braves, with whom he had won fame as a shortstop to the Pittsburg Pirates to whom he was traded last night for three other players.

"While I'd rather remain in Boston I'll be tickled to death to go to Pittsburg if things are fixed up as satisfactorily by both clubs" said the "Rabbit" at his home in Springfield today, in discussing the deal.

Outfielders Bill Southworth and Fred Nicholson and Infielder Walter Barbare are the players who are to come here in exchange for Maranville.

POP CONCERT PROGRAM

The following program will be given at the pop concert to be held this evening under the auspices of the Lowell Boston college club in Associate hall. The affair promises to be in a class by itself among the events of the season:

Overture, "Stradella" ....Flotow
Orchestra

Tarentella,
Misses Buswell, Martin, Morris and Philbrook

Amarylis,
Miss Kundin

Spring
Misses Campbell and La Cross

Pas Seul
Miss Deery

Danse Vivante
Misses Buswell and Morris

Blue Danube Waltz
Misses Buswell, Campbell, Christopher, Cross, R. Cross, Deery, Fay, Gilman, Kundin, La Cross, Martin, Pentz, Philbrook, Morris, Verrill

Selections from "Carmen"........Bizet
Orchestra

The concert will start at 8.15 sharp and at the close of the concert at 9, the floor will be open for general dancing without intermission until midnight. The general public is invited and tickets will be on sale as usual at the box office.

PLAN COSTUME PARTY

A very novel costume party or Mardi Gras will be staged in Lincoln hall on the evening of Feb. 8, the night before Lent, by the League of Catholic Women. The first dancing party staged in Colonial hall under the auspices of the league was so successful, that by repeated requests of members and others who took part, it has been decided to offer another party. Lincoln hall has been chosen for the affair because it is much larger than Colonial hall, and will be much more adequate for the large crowd expected to attend.

Brass and bronze foundries are said to have been in operation in Korea at the beginning of the Christian era.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of David Bornstein, late of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

ESSIE BORNSTEIN, Administrator
1st Harvard st., Lowell.

January 12, 1921.

LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of John P. Hoffman, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Raymond P. Hoffman, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-sixth day of January, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

j14-17-24

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Sarah J. Hoffman, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Raymond P. Hoffman of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-sixth day of January, A.D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

j14-17-24

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss.

At a Probate Court holden at Cambridge in and for said County of Middlesex, on the eleventh day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

On the petition of Aaron Paterlosky, of Lowell, in said County, praying that his name may be changed to that of Aaron Lasky, public notice having been given, according to the order of Court, that all persons might appear and show cause, if any they had, why the same should not be granted, and it appearing that the reason given therefor is sufficient, and consistent with the public interest, and being satisfactory to the Court, and no objection being made:

It is decreed that his name be changed, as prayed for, to that of Aaron Lasky, which name he shall hereafter bear, and which shall be his legal name, and that he give public notice of said change by publishing this decree once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, and make return to this Court under oath that such notice has been given.

GEORGE F. LAWTON,
Judge of Probate Court.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Elizabeth Allen, late of Lebanon, in the County of Grafton and State of New Hampshire, deceased, or in the personal property hereinafter described and to the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation of said Commonwealth.

Whereas, Fred A. Jones appointed administrator of the estate of said deceased, by the Probate Court for the County of Grafton in the State of New Hampshire, has presented to said Court his petition representing that as such administrator he is entitled to certain personal property situated in said Commonwealth, to wit:

A deposit in the Old Lowell National Bank, Book No. 2439, and a deposit in the City Institution for Savings, Book No. 57726, and praying that he may be licensed to receive or to sell by public or private sale on such terms and to such person or persons as he shall think fit—or otherwise to dispose of, and to transfer and convey such estate.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the 26th day of January, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by delivering a copy of said citation to the Commissioner for Corporations and Taxation of said Commonwealth fourteen days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this tenth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

j12-19-24

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of James H. Mulrenin, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Arthur F. Mulrenin of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the fifteenth day of February, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

F. M. ESTY, Register.
j17-24-29 Frank J. Garvey, Atty.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Daniel Cleary, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased:

Whereas, James H. Cleary, the executor of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the twenty-eighth day of January, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executor is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

j14-17-24

Pottery is now being made which has in it a small percentage of radio-active material, for disease cures.

LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Margaret M. Golden, otherwise known as Margaret M. Fenton, of Richmond, in the State of Maine, minor:

Whereas, Richard B. Walsh, the guardian of said ward, has presented for allowance, his substituted first and final account as guardian upon the estate of said ward.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the twenty-eighth day of January, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said guardian is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one. F. M. ESTY, Register.

j15-19-21

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Joseph Smith, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Solomon Baker, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the second day of February, A. D. 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one. F. M. ESTY, Register.

j19-24-31

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the devisees under the will and all other persons interested in the estate of Daniel Cleary, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, James H. Cleary, executor of the will of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell at public auction the whole of a parcel of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts, and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County, on the twenty-eighth day of January, A. D. 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days, at least, before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

j14-17-24

According to a table compiled by the treasury department a dollar note lives 2.63 years, while a silver certificate stays in circulation one year.

TO LET

5-ROOM TENEMENT to let. Price reasonable. 67 First street.

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FIVE ROOMS to let, bath, electricity, Call 615 Varnum ave near Car. Call Mike John, 171 Cushing st.

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AMERICAN FAMILY will take a child or elderly person to board. Address G-12, Sun Office.

ELDERLY LADY wants place minding small children. Write N-45, Sun Office.

WANTED TO BUY WOOD, willing to cut on stump. Please state price. Address G2, Sun Office.

5-ROOM TENEMENT wanted by an American woman who works, within 15 minutes' walk from John st. Write Q-1 Sun Office.

HELP WANTED

CHAMBER MAID wanted, good position for good worker, 506 Middlesex st.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

28,401 FEET OF LAND on Bridge st., Dracut Centre, next lot to Grange hall, for sale. Inquire 60 Fifth st. Phone 5587-R.

8-ROOM COTTAGE for sale near W. Fourth street, excellent repair, newly painted, large yard, $300 cash, easy terms. Price $1650. D. F. Leary, Hildreth bldg.

2-TENEMENT HOUSE for sale, near Blossom st, 5 rooms each, dandy location, always rented, $360 each. Price $3100. D. F. Leary, Hildreth bldg.

SPECIAL NOTICE

TRAINED MATERNITY NURSE—Mrs. Battle. Write 5 Hall place. Will call.

FOR ADOPTION, baby girl 1 month old, in Catholic family. Write Q-89, Sun Office.

CHIMNEYS—Swept and repaired, Wm. Cloutier, successor to W. H. Linberg. Yard, 59 Fulton st. Tel. 6472-R.

HAVE YOUR OLD CARPETS made into new rugs. Carpets and rugs cleaned. Prices reasonable. Economy Rug Works, 697 Middlesex st. Phone 855.

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DANCING

DANCING—Mr. F. J. Stanton's dancing school at Merrimack hall, 212 Merrimack street, is now open every Thursday. Adults in ball room dancing, 8 to 10.15 p. m. Children's classic dancing, 4.15 to 6 p. m. Private lessons, 8 to 3.

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THE QUINN STOVE REPAIR CO. is now located at 140 Middlesex, cor. Elliot st. Grates, linings and other parts to fit all stoves and ranges are carried in stock. Work promptly attended to by expert repair men. Tel. 4170.

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TRUCK CANVAS lost between West Adams st. and the Western avenue freight house. Reward. Return to 59 Inland st. Tel. 2595-R. Fred Dunlay.

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LADY'S GOLD WRIST WATCH lost Saturday night on Merrimack, Central or Prescott sts. Initials H. J. F. Call 12 Cady st. Reward.

BLACK LEATHER HANDBAG lost, containing laundry check and key, in the Colonial or Candyland on Central st. Please call 5491-R. Reward.

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TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

Southern Division

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Fr. Boston Arr.
5.50	[illegible]	2.30	5.17
6.23	7.26	6.00	7.05
6.41	7.31	7.35	8.23
6.51	7.38	ab8.15	9.34
10.25	7.53	3.00	9.33
7.22	8.00	10.00	10.53
7.56	8.32	11.30	12.53
8.51	9.42	12.30	1.11
10.05	11.05	h1.05	2.23
11.13	11.52	2.15	3.15
12.10	1.03	2.30	3.41
1.47	2.35	4.00	4.42
2.15	3.42	4.05	5.24
k3.33	4.12	5.00	5.42
4.00	4.45	15.21	6.42
4.12	5.25	5.35	6.35
5.25	6.14	15.51	7.13
5.30	6.40	6.17	7.23
16.05	7.25	8.00	9.41
6.25	7.1[illegible]	8.31	9.41
8.25	9.12	10.30	11.43
9.55	10.41	11.30	12.33

Portland Division

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Fr. Boston Arr.
6.53	7.52	z5.35	6.21
6.56	12.15	10.35	11.53
5.14pm	5.58	3.25	4.42
7.12	8.23	5.14	6.17
10.20	11.31	6.35	8.15
		9.53	11.13

Sunday Trains
Portland Division

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Fr. Boston Arr.
12.07	1.2[illegible]	3.29	4.41
3.40	4.4[illegible]	5.10	6.45
8.36	7.1[illegible]	8.15	9.30
8.55	10.05		

Sunday Trains
Southern Division

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Fr. Boston Arr.
6.41	7.5[illegible]	9.45	10.35
6.51	7.32	10.00	11.23
7.25	8.35	11.20	12.09
[illegible]	10.12	1.00	2.01
[illegible]	11.17	5.30	6.21
2.51	3.35	7.15	8.23
4.09	6.0[illegible]	8.00	9.41
6.34	7.3[illegible]	8.30	9.1[illegible]
8.25	9.1[illegible]	9.25	10.35
8.45	9.30	10.45	12.01
9.55	10.45		

b via Bedford; a via Salem Jct. z via Wilmington Jct, n not holidays, h Sat. only.

U. S. FIRE DAMAGE IN 4 YEARS $1,416,375,000

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Property worth $1,416,375,000, the equivalent of 283,275 new houses at $5000 each, or more than enough to shelter the population of a state as large as Connecticut, was destroyed by fire in the United States in the period from 1915 to 1919, as shown by the quinquennial analysis of 3,500,000 adjustments made by the National Board of Fire Underwriters.

Electricity, the chief cause of the fire loss, led with a total of $84,086,471 for the five years. Matches and smoking stood second with $78,474,348. Incendiarism contributed $21,596,965.

New York suffered the greatest loss the five year total being $140,305,821 or nearly 10 per cent of the whole, Pennsylvania was second with $78,-338,665; Illinois third with $73,916,503; New Jersey fourth with $63,697,525 and Massachusetts fifth with $53,677,087.

DEATHS

SADLIER—Mary Eileen Sadlier, died yesterday at the home of her father, William Sadlier, 208 Moore street, aged 6 years, 3 months and 10 days. Besides her father, she leaves one sister, Kathleen, and a brother, William Francis Sadlier, Jr. Owing to the cause of death, the funeral took place yesterday afternoon and burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

KENNEDY—Mrs. Josephine B. Kennedy died yesterday at her home, 31 Arlington street. She is survived by three children, Mrs. William A. Davis of Woburn, Miss Josephine A. Kennedy of this city and John R. Kennedy of Dunstable; also four grandchildren.

EARLY—Arthur W. Early, died Saturday at his home, 123 Shaw street. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Early and one daughter, Mrs. Flora V. Sloper of Pittsfield, Mass. He was a member and past regent of Highland council, 970, Royal Arcanum. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker George W. Healey, 79 Branch street.

LEE—Mrs. Maria Lee, widow of Michael Lee, died Saturday afternoon at her home, 362 Broadway. She leaves five daughters, Mrs. Thomas Heslin in Ireland, Dr. Mary Lee Harscut of Melbourne, Australia, Mrs. Charles Egan, Mrs. Frank Sabourin and Miss Margaret Lee, the latter three of Lowell; two sons, Michael J. and Thomas J. Lee, both of Lowell, and one brother, James Moran, in Ireland. Deceased was a sister of the late Rev. Fr. P. Moran of Melbourne, Australia.

SANBORN—Harry C. Sanborn of 28 Greenleaf street, Malden, died Jan. 20, at the Lowell General hospital, after an illness of several weeks, aged 43 years. Mr. Sanborn was the son of Charles H. and the late Emma J. Sanborn and was born in Hyde Park. He was educated in the public schools of Portland and Malden and was a graduate of the high school of Malden in 1896. He went to Malden when 13 years of age and made a host of friends in that city. For many years he held an important position with the Lowell Gas Light Co. Mr. Sanborn was a member of the Universalist church and for some time was connected with the choir and also served as an usher.

KEARNEY—James Kearney, infant son of James and Elizabeth (Ward) Kearney, died last evening at the home of his parents, 40 Perry street, aged 4 months and 7 days. Besides his parents, he leaves one sister, Catherine Kearney.

WELSH—Mrs. Annie Welsh died Saturday afternoon at her home, 2 Stanley avenue, at the age of 60 years. She is survived by her husband, Thos. Welsh of this city; three sons, John Welsh of Jonesboro, Ind., Charles and Thomas H. Welsh of this city; three daughters, Mrs. Annie Lewis of Pelham, N. H., Mrs. Harry C. Randall and Mrs. Jennie Paul of this city; three brothers and one sister living in Ireland; also 10 grandchildren and one great-granddaughter. Mrs. Welsh had resided in this city for the past 39 years.

CAREY—Mary Carey, a well known resident of this city, died Saturday at the Chelmsford Street hospital after a brief illness, aged 70 years. She leaves one nephew, John Carey of Hartford, Conn. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker William A. Mack, 70-76 Gorham st.

McQUAIDE—Helen A. McQuaide, daughter of Walter H. and Elizabeth McQuaide, died Saturday evening at the home of her parents, 83 Aberdeen street, after a short illness, at the age of 3 years, 6 months, 3 days. She is survived by her parents, and two sisters, Marion and Edythe McQuaide of this city.

COX—Mrs. Mary Cox, widow of Jas. Cox, died last evening at her home, 531 East Merrimack street. She is survived by two daughters, Misses Mary J. and Annie L. Cox, and three sons, William H. and Terence J., of this city, and Patrick J. Cox of Woonsocket, R. I.

MOREL—Annette, aged 26 days, infant daughter of George and Yvonne Morel, died yesterday at the home of her parents, 251 Cheever street. Burial took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock, in St. Joseph's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers Amedee Archambault and Sons.

SAMARIS—Stratis, aged 1 month and 27 days, infant son of John and Rena Samaris, died this morning at the home of his parents, 50 Common street. Burial took place this afternoon in Westlawn cemetery, after service had been held at the Holy Trinity Greek church. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault and Sons.

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Born Jan. 22, at the Harley hospital, Boston, a son, Richard Paul, to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Godfrey Hudson of Dorchester. Mrs. Hudson was formerly Ethel Louise Richardson of North Chelmsford.

Miss Catherine Cronin, formerly director of the Girls' Community Service club in the Runels building, extends her regards to all her friends in this city through Miss Louise French, of National Community Service, who is now in Lowell in connection with the play school lectures to be given all this week in high school hall. Miss Cronin recently attended a convention in Chicago of Community Service workers, at which she met Miss French, just before the latter left for this city. Miss Cronin will undoubtedly become a specialist in community recreation, according to Miss French, and in that capacity may at some time have the opportunity of visiting Lowell.

Irene Hogan, Frances Leggat, Alice Darcy, wards of Ko-Ko, Mikado.—Adv.

FUNERAL NOTICES

COX—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Cox will take place Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 531 East Merrimack street. At 9 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at the Immaculate Conception church. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Motor cortege. The funeral will be under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

LEE—Funeral of Mrs. Maria Lee will take place Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 362 Broadway. A funeral high mass will be celebrated at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. John P. Rogers, undertaker.

WELSH—Died in this city, Jan. 22, at her home, 2 Stanley avenue, Mrs. Annie Welsh, aged 60 years. Funeral services will be held at her home on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited. Burial private. Kindly omit flowers. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

KENNEDY—Died Jan. 23rd, in this city, Mrs. Josephine B. Kennedy, at her home, 31 Arlington street. Funeral services will be held at 31 Arlington street, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

EARLY—Died Jan. 22nd, in this city, Arthur W. Early. Funeral services will be held at the rooms of Undertaker George W. Healey, 79 Branch street, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial private.

WOODS—The funeral of Mr. Cornelius Woods will take place Tuesday morning at 8.30 o'clock from the undertaking rooms of James W. McKenna, 419 Bridge street. High mass of requiem at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

FUNERALS

CLIFFORD—The body of Mrs. Nettie Clifford, who died at the Blanchard hospital, Dracut, last Thursday, was forwarded Saturday to her home in Auburn, N. Y., where services will be held and burial take place. The floral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

RILEY—The funeral of Cornelius Riley, son of Patrick and Mary (Dee) Riley, took place Saturday afternoon from the home of his parents, 57 Agawam street and was largely attended. At the Sacred Heart church services were conducted by the pastor, Rev. John P. Flynn, O.M.I. There were numerous flowers. The bearers were Francis Dugan, David and Joseph Murphy, George Neville, James Linehan and William Kerwin. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers, O'Connell & Fay.

OLIVER—The funeral of Margaret Oliver took place from the home of her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Bugbee, 339 Walker street, Saturday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Arthur S. Beale, pastor of the Highland Congregational church. Appropriate selections were sung by Miss Hazel F. Tuthill. The bearers were Harry S. Cuverhill, Frederick W. Tilton, Henry Cote and Oliver M. Black. Burial was in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

KIMBALL—The funeral services of Horatio G. Kimball were held at the graveside in Lowell cemetery Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. Appleton Grannis rector of St. Anne's Episcopal church officiated. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

McQUAIDE—The funeral of Helen A. McQuaide took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents 83 Aberdeen street at 12.30 o'clock. Owing to a contagious disease the funeral was strictly private. Burial took place in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery where services were conducted by Rev. John L. Cairns pastor of St. Paul's M. E. church. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

CHAGNON—The funeral services of Charles H. Chagnon were held yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock at Saunders' funeral home 217 Appleton st. and were largely attended. Rev. Ferdinand A. Perron pastor of the French Baptist church officiated. The bearers were Armand Chapdelaine Alonzo L. Chapdelaine Robert Chenevert and Fernando Chapdelaine. Burial took place in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery where the committal service was read by Rev. Mr. Perron.

McDERMOTT—The funeral of Miss Kate McDermott took place Saturday afternoon from the rooms of Undertakers Jas. F. O'Donnell & Sons. Burial was in the family lot in St Patrick's cemetery where the committal prayers were recited by Rev. Francis L. Keenan.

CUDWORTH—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Cudworth took place Saturday afternoon from her home 61 Grand street. Services were held at the home by Rev. N. W. Matthews pastor of the Gorham Street F. M. church. Miss Margaret Knowles sang "I Love to Hear My Saviour's Voice" and "Lead Kindly Light." The bearers were Samuel Scott, William Scott, Michael Markham John J. Regan William Harrigan and William Harris. Burial was in Westlawn cemetery where the committal services were read by Rev. N. W. Matthews. The funeral was in charge of Undertakers C. H. Molloy's Sons.

COUGHLIN—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Coughlin took place at 8 o'clock this morning from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Nugent, 56 Wilson street, North Billerica. A funeral high mass was celebrated by Rev. John N. Cunningham, at St. Andrew's church, North Billerica. The choir sang the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by John Fairbrother and James Gannon. Miss Etta Hoar was the organist. The bearers were Leo Coughlin, James Coughlin, Arthur and Louis Mahoney, John Minihan, Walter Shipsey. Rev. Fr. Finnick, of Marlboro, was in the sanctuary. Burial took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. David J. Murphy assisted by Rev. Fr. Finnick. Funeral in charge of Undertaker John F. Rogers.

DUVAL—The funeral of Mrs. Dina Duval took place this morning from the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Dubreuil, 5 Grand street. High mass of requiem was celebrated at Notre Dame de Lourdes' church at 9 o'clock by Rev. J. B. A. Barette, O.M.I. The choir, under the direction of Severin Belanger rendered the Gregorian chant. Miss Bella Lavigne presiding at the organ. The bearers were Joseph and Arthur Jeannotte, Albert and Edmond Menard. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Leon Lamothe, O.M.I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

LONG—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Tobin Long took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from her home, 455 Parker street, and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Margaret's church where, at 9 o'clock, a mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Stephen Murray. The choir, under the direction of Mr. Frank McCarthy, rendered the Gregorian chant, the solos in the mass being sustained by Miss Catherine V. Hennessey and Mr. McCarthy, Mr. William P. McCarthy presiding at the organ. There was a profusion of floral and spiritual offerings. The bearers were Messrs. Joseph Tobin, Francis X. Tobin, Enoch N. Grinnell and Walter Cox. The burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Fr. Murray. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell and Sons.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Alfred Duval, a second hand in the Tremont & Suffolk hosiery and Mrs. Rose Anno (Foucher) Robillard were married Saturday evening at St. Joseph's rectory, the ceremony being performed at 5.45 o'clock by Rev. L. A. Nolin, O.M.I. The bride wore a gray traveling suit with a black and silver hat and carried a cluster of violets. She was attended by her brother, Mr. Narcisse Foucher, while the groom's witness was Mr. Hubert Gregoire. At the close of the ceremony a wedding supper was served at the home of the bride, 728 Moody street, where a reception was held later. Mr. and Mrs. Duval will make their home at 728 Moody street.

REQUIEM MASSES

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